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## GOMPERS ANSWERS ROOSEVELT AND PRESIDENT ISSUES NEW DEFENSE OF TAFT--SHERMAN IS ATTACKED AS "LAND GRAFTER"

### CAMPAIGN CLOSE IS HOT EXCHANGE

THEATERS INDIANA, OHIO AND  
NEW YORK  
BRYAN AND TAFT IN EAST  
MAKE SPECTACULAR EFFORTS  
SPECIAL TRAINS  
A BEVERIDGE--KERN DUEL  
THEY ARE TOURING INDIANA IN  
SPECIAL TRAINS  
POLITICAL FACT AND GOSSIP  
Election Stories from All Quarters  
Show Awakened Interest in  
Election

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 26.—Gompers today answered Roosevelt's Knox labor letter. It will be printed in the Federalist and circulated as a campaign document. He says: "Roosevelt made Taft a candidate, and seeing that the labor vote is now aroused and the toilers will not be cajoled, he has become desperate, and in his anger, by the worst exhibition of demagogism, tries to instill in employers the fear that prosperity will be endangered if a square deal is accorded the workers. It is an exhibition of impotent rage, an awful descent from the dignity of his high office. None but himself will be deceived. "Roosevelt has again thrust himself into the campaign. He not only becomes partisan but throws the influence of his office in the scales against the interests of other citizens. He makes a direct attack on labor. The pretense of his attack on me is not deceptive. He strikes over my shoulder at the workers and other liberty loving citizens. He says Knox has a right to discuss the principles of injunctions because as attorney general he prosecuted a suit for damages to injured workmen. Knox, as special counsel of the Pennsylvania railroad and steel corporation, is indeed qualified to discuss the injunction, but only from the corporation viewpoint. If the courts have not invaded liberty, why did Roosevelt characterize Grosscup's reversal of the Standard Oil fine a miscarriage of justice? "Injunctions were issued by Taft and others, based on the theory along with the ownership of mines, etc., that a company has a vested right to sufficient labor to make the corporation profitable, and this constitutes a form of property right. That the relations between employers and employees are personal and are distinct from property relations, no intelligent man dares to dispute, yet the courts, by injunction, flinch from the toilers' rights. "It is the purpose of my opponents to vilify the labor movement through me and Roosevelt joins the chorus on the pretext that I attacked the federal courts." He declared his criticism of the courts was always respectful and not as bitter, as that of judges in dissenting opinions. "The 'Moral Overstrain.' "Gompers quotes the Roosevelt letter of January 27, acknowledging the receipt of a copy of the Federalist containing an article by George A. Alger on 'Moral Overstrain,' to which the president called Gompers' attention. 'You may be amused to know that I sent copies of 'Moral Overstrain' to Justices Day and McKenna.' Gompers states the letter said, 'The statement continues: "John Mitchell, Frank Morrison and I are now on trial to show why we should not be sent to jail for having violated no law. Will the president justify Justice Gould's injunction and contempt proceedings to send us to jail put forward by the Buck Stove company? The injunction issued by Gould is based on the injunction issued by Taft, and Taft's language is quoted by Gould." President Hits Hard. "After reading Gompers' statement, President Roosevelt caused the following to be given out at the White house: "Gompers quotes from the president's correspondence with him about (Continued on Page Six)

## GEN. GOMEZ LIKELY TO BE NEXT PRESIDENT OF CUBA



General Jose Miguel Gomez, who was nominated by both the Gomez and the Zayas liberal conventions as the liberal candidate for president of Cuba, probably will be chosen at the election, November 14, for he has for the first time the united support of his party, and his policies and personality are popular. A year ago he was the candidate of the liberal party, but was defeated by President Palma, the conservative head of the government who resigned owing to a controversy over the election. General Gomez was arrested when the revolution against President Palma broke out in August, 1906, but was soon released. His followers are known as the 'Miguelista' liberals. General Menocal, the nominee of the conservatives, is the opposition candidate. The United States' administration of the island through Governor Macdonald will be ended by the election of next month and affairs of all kinds turned over to the new government.

## REPUBLICANS ARE WORKING HARD

NO GRASS GROWING UNDER FEET  
OF CAMPAIGNERS  
ESCH EXPECTS USUAL VICTORY  
Says the Managers Were Over Confident, but Now Are Getting Down to Right Sort of Work

According to Congressman John J. Esch, the republicans, appreciating the necessity of a hard struggle in this election have, within the past few weeks, thrown more energy into the work and the remaining few days will see hard work on their part. "The political situation," said Mr. Esch, "in this district is favorable. We have always had a fairly large majority and I think that this year will be no exception. "Probably a little over confident, the campaign was started in a 'luke warm' manner but now it will be prosecuted with all the strength that can be mustered. "Yes, I think that there was a time that they were a little bit scared over the democratic sentiment, but I think this is being overcome and that conditions will be the same as they were before by the time of election. With large majorities the party became a little over confident as is customary with all parties when victorious. "In Wisconsin I don't think there is any doubt but what the republicans will carry every state with a large majority."

## ROUND UP NIGHT RIDERS.

UNION CITY, Tenn., Oct. 26.—Seven men came into camp this afternoon and surrendered. They will be held for a while. Seventy-five citizens of Gibson county, the home of Capt. Rankin, arrived this afternoon to attend the special session of court. Many others at Samburg are assisting the soldiers in making arrests of night rider suspects.

## FAKER WON'T RETURN

DAYTON, Ohio, Oct. 26.—Until substantial assurances are given by District Attorney Jerome that Earl B. Brandenburg will be admitted to bail, the alleged forger of the Cleveland letter will not return to New York without a legal battle. The detectives here are armed with a bench warrant, but no extradition papers. Brandenburg believes the charges against him will be dropped when the campaign ends.

## HUNTER SAVED FROM A SWAMP

STRANGER CAUGHT IN MYSTERIOUS FLOATING BOG  
Man Hunting for Ducks Near Marshland Junction Then Hurries Away—Suik to Shoulders

While hunting in the marshes near Marshland, Wis., a man, whose name could not be learned, became "mired" in a floating bog and but for the timely aid of a couple of "bums" who heard his cries would have been sucked under to his death. Hunting ducks in that vicinity he wandered into a patch of woods near the crossing of the Green Bay and the Northwestern tracks. After pushing his way into the swamp he became fast in the mud and began to sink inch by inch. His cries for help attracted the attention of two "ho-boes." Securing a boat they succeeded in rescuing him from his perilous position, but not until he had sunk into the mud up to his shoulders. After a "thank you" and a small reward to his rescuers he hurried away without giving his name. The point where he became imbedded in the mud is the most dangerous in this part of the state. A strip of land covered with shrubbery and marsh grass is a mecca for the ducks. Lured on by constant alighting of flocks at this point more than one hunter has had a narrow escape from death. It is claimed by some that beneath the mud or bog flows the Trempealeau river. The river, traced from its mouth at Trempealeau, runs into the Marshland country and there branches into several streams. Numerous parties have attempted the task of tracing it but have failed.

## TRY CASHIER AT WHITEHALL TODAY

WHITEHALL, Wis., Oct. 26.—(Special.)—Former Cashier Ruth of the bank at Arcadia, Wis., charged with embezzling the funds of the institution is being tried here today. The greater portion of the afternoon was spent in drawing the jury and the taking of testimony will in all probability be started tomorrow forenoon.

## TORCHLIGHT PARADE TO GREET AYLWARD

DEMOCRATIC DEMONSTRATION  
THIS EVENING  
BIG RALLY AT AUDITORIUM  
Busy Week of Speech Making Is  
Planned in Gallant Effort to Win  
the County for Bryan

Democratic Candidate for Governor John A. Aylward will arrive in the city this evening at 5:30 on the Northwestern road. He will be met by a delegation of local democrats and escorted to the Hotel Stoddard, where he will have supper. After supper he will talk over the political situation with the local candidates, after which he will be taken over to the Auditorium where he is scheduled to speak at 8 o'clock. He will be introduced by W. F. Wolfe in the absence of County Chairman Doherty, who was called to Whitehall today and who will be unable to be present at the meeting.

The big feature outside of the speech will be the big torchlight parade which will include all of the Bryan and Kern clubs that have recently been formed in the city. About 1,000 democrats will take part in the parade which starts from the democratic headquarters on North Third street, and march about the downtown district arriving at the Auditorium at 8 o'clock. Large delegations from Rockland, Bangor, West Salem and the country districts are expected to attend the meeting.

The democratic county committee has arranged a rather strenuous program from now until election day, and will make a whirlwind finish of one of the most important presidential campaigns in history. The programs for next Monday and Tuesday have not been entirely arranged yet, but there will be numerous speeches throughout the city on those dates, all of the available speakers taking an active part on the last day. The following is the program for this week: Wednesday, Oct. 28.—Rally at the Union hall; speakers, Paul Mahoney and W. F. Wolfe. Bluff Arcade, speakers, O. R. Skaar and C. L. Hood. Thursday, Oct. 29.—Rally at the Snow Plow hall. A Bryan club will be formed with the following speakers: W. F. Wolfe, C. L. Hood and Paul W. Mahoney. A meeting will be held at John Krismier's hall on Tenth and Redfield streets. John Uermoechl will probably give a German address and A. C. Wolfe will talk. A meeting will be held at the town hall of Burns. John F. Doherty, O. R. Skaar and A. C. Wolfe will speak. Friday, Oct. 30.—A meeting will be held at West Salem with John F. Doherty and Paul Mahoney as speakers. A rally will also be held at Sather's school house in the town of Washington. Joseph Boschert and O. R. Skaar will be the speakers. Saturday, Oct. 31.—There will be a rally at Meyers hall at Barre Mills with W. F. Wolfe, Prof. Schubert and C. L. Hood speakers. A meeting will also be held at Wannebo hall on the north side, Paul Mahoney, O. R. Skaar and A. C. Wolfe being the talkers.

## CANDIDATES MEET

A big meeting of the democratic candidates, the executive committee and the officers of the various Bryan and Kern clubs will be held tomorrow evening at the democratic headquarters. The political situation will be discussed and plans made for the finish of the campaign.

## PARADING CLUBS MEET

The Bryan and Kern clubs of the Third, Eighth and Eighteenth wards will meet at Centennial hall at 7 o'clock tonight and forming into line will march to democratic headquarters and will from there accompany Mr. Aylward to the auditorium. They will be headed by Kreutz's band.

## CARNEGIE MEDAL FOR AN OWATONNA BOY

OWATONNA, Minn., Oct. 26.—August Hanson, aged 15, today received a Carnegie hero medal and \$2,000 cash. He rescued two girls from drowning when the ice broke in the first skating of last season.

## SAILORS RESTRICTED

MANILA, Oct. 26.—The sailors of the American fleet are not permitted shore leave after 10 at night, nor allowed to drink water from the wells, according to the rule promulgated by Rear Admiral Harbor, when the fleet reached here. The first squadron will arrive from Yokohama Nov. 1, and the second from Amoy Nov. 8.

## SMALL BANK FAILURE

MIDDLETON, Conn., Oct. 26.—The Columbia Trust company closed its doors today on the orders of National Bank Examiners Noble and Lippitt. The institution is capitalized at \$100,000, the liabilities being about \$50,000. It is said depositors will be paid in full.

## LATEST PARIS FAD



A valise for carrying pet dogs is the latest fad in Paris. It is affected by all the ultra-swell dog fanciers of the fair sex.

## WANT EXPERT TO FIGURE ON PLANT

SPECIAL LIGHTING COMMITTEE  
WILL HOLD MEETING

## ASK COUNCIL TO APPROPRIATE

Promoters of Municipal Lighting  
Proposition Plan Progress With  
City Lighting Plant

Following the receipt of word from the state railroad commission that that body will not interfere with the erection of a municipal lighting plant here for the purpose of furnishing light to the city government, a special meeting of the special lighting committee will be held in a day or so when a resolution will be prepared for presentation to the council, asking that the committee be authorized to hire an expert to come here and figure on the installation of the plant at the pumping station.

A meeting of the judiciary and ordinance committees will be held on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock to consider the ordinance prohibiting the use of fire crackers and explosives except for necessary purposes on the Fourth of July proposed by Mayor Anderson, and referred to those committees at the last meeting of the council.

## ELIGIBLE TO FIREMEN

At a meeting of the board of police and fire commissioners it was announced that the following men had passed the required examination and were eligible to enter the department when a vacancy occurs: William McDonald, 718 South Ninth street; Walter McMullen, 328 Division street; Charles Stenke, 1229 Denton street; John Halverson, 311 Cameron avenue, and Albert Love, 916 South Sixth street.

## RAIN DAMPENS THE CANADIAN ELECTION

WINNIPEG, Man., Oct. 26.—The election today for the Canadian parliament is progressing under the worst election weather in many years. A cold rain has fallen 24 hours and the roads are impassable. West of the great lakes 38 seats are being contested. Five are deferred elections. Hundreds of Americans who recently located in Canada will swear allegiance to the British crown and cast their first votes today. Most of the Americans are against the government. Trouble is expected in Winnipeg and Manitoba. The liberals, headed by Laurier, are the hardest pressed for years.

## MONTGOMERY CONVICTED

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 26.—W. Montgomery, the accused cashier of the Allegheny National bank, was convicted this afternoon. He was charged with misappropriation of \$400,000 of the bank funds. The case came to an abrupt ending when the lawyers after a consultation decided not to enter a defense.

## MORRIS EXPLAINS FACTS ABOUT THE NORMAL WORKMEN

EDITORIAL ATTACK ON HIM NOT  
JUSTIFIED BY FACTS

## LABOR CLAUSE IS VOID

COURTS HOLD HOME MEN CAN-  
NOT BE SPECIFIED

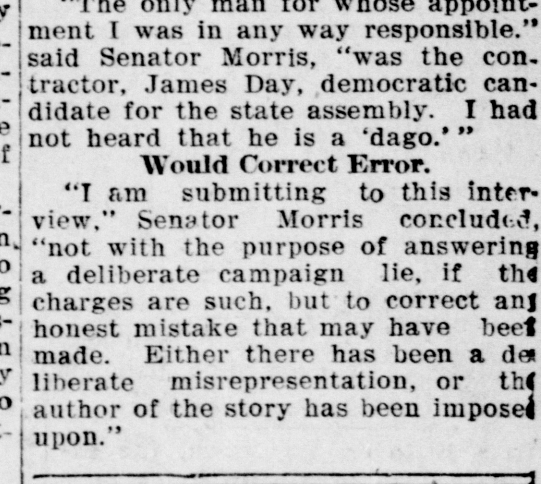
## ASKED IT AS A FAVOR

Urged Use of La Crosse Men—Day  
Only Man He Was Instrumental  
in Hiring

The attention of Senator Thomas Morris, republican candidate for reelection to the state senate, was drawn today to the following editorial which appeared in a late edition of the La Crosse Labor Journal: "Thursday, Sept. 17, the corner stone of the new normal school was laid. It was a private affair. Why? Was Regent Morris ashamed to invite the citizens and give them an opportunity to see how many workmen from this city were employed on the building? When the addition to the normal school at Oshkosh was let a provision was made in the contract that only home labor shall be employed on the building, that is boasting a city, but the way ours is being put up is 'knocking a city.' No Such Clause "Was there such a provision in the Oshkosh contract, Senator Morris was asked? "There was not," replied the senator. "I drew the Oshkosh contract as well as the La Crosse contract; neither contained the clause referred to in the editorial to which you refer." Asked why such a clause was not inserted, Senator Morris said: "It is useless. The courts have held that a clause of this kind is not binding. For this reason they are not now inserted in state contracts." Advised Home Men "What have you had to do with the employment of men on the normal," the senator was then asked. "I suggested to the contractor who got the job the advisability of employing as many home men as were available. If he is not doing it, I am powerless to compel him to do so. The law forces us to let these contracts to the lowest bidder, and there is no way in which the board could have let the contract to any other, because the contractor who got the work was the low bidder. Helped Name Day. "You have exerted no other influence regarding the employment of men on the job?" asked the reporter. "The only man for whose appointment I was in any way responsible," said Senator Morris, "was the contractor, James Day, democratic candidate for the state assembly. I had not heard that he is a 'dago.' Would Correct Error. "I am submitting to this interview," Senator Morris concluded, "not with the purpose of answering a deliberate campaign lie, if the charges are such, but to correct any honest mistake that may have been made. Either there has been a deliberate misrepresentation, or the author of the story has been imposed upon."

## WEATHER AND WATER

Coolest at La Crosse, 36; warmest 40; wind, 4 miles; rainfall, .25 inch. The river will rise slightly. Stage of water at La Crosse, 2.4 feet, stationary; at Prairie du Chien, 2.6; a rise of .1 foot. Forecasts today: Wisconsin—Partly cloudy with showers tonight and possibly north portion Tuesday; continued cool. Minnesota—Rain tonight and possibly Tuesday; continued cool. Iowa—Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday with probably showers in northeast portion tonight; continued cool.



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## Dish Cloths.

The careful housekeeper has a drawer in the kitchen, well stocked with dish cloths of various sizes and textures. Cheese cloth, unbleached cotton and heavy linen crash make the most satisfactory ones while pot rings are much in favor for greasy kitchen utensils. To keep dish cloths perfectly clean, soak for ten or twenty minutes each time after the dishes are washed in lukewarm water to which has been added a teaspoonful of Gold Dust washing powder, then scald, rinse and hang in the sunshine or fresh air to dry.

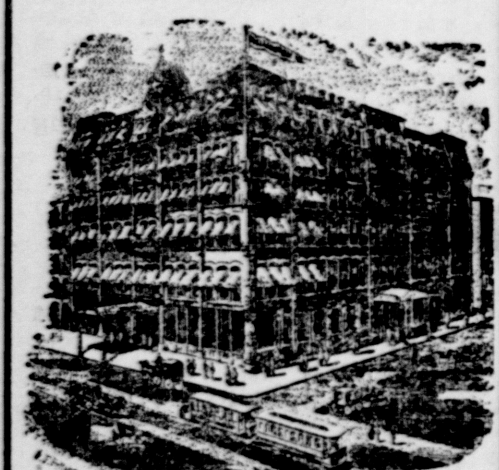


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### J. E. SEARLES DEAD IN LONDON

LONDON, Oct. 24.—John Ennins Searles, long the secretary of the American Sugar Refining company, dropped dead at the Waterloo Railway station today.

### PENNSYLVANIA MINES AFIRE

PITTSBURGH, Oct. 24.—A report just reached here that the Hazel mine at Pittsburg and the Buffalo Coal company of Canonsburg, Pa. is on fire. An explosion is said to have occurred while 800 men were at work. Three hundred men are reported entombed. This local official deny the report.

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## Sports of all Sorts

### FOUR TEAMS LEAD IN GRIDIRON FIGHT

YALE AND CARLISLE STRUGGLE FOR EASTERN HONORS

### BADGERS STRONG THIS YEAR

Western Championship Rests Between Chicago and Wisconsin—Meet Nov. 21st

On the face of the gridiron returns so far, Yale and the Carlisle Indians loom up as the most formidable of the eastern squads, while Chicago and Wisconsin are dividing the honor in the west. The gallant sons of Old Eli and the speedy Redskins are entitled to first consideration among eastern teams from the fact that their record outshines that of the other contenders. Previously to last Saturday's game, Princeton had been considered a favorite by the dopests, but when the Tigers failed to down Syracuse, a team that Yale trimmed, 6 to 0, and which Carlisle bumped, 12 to 0, then Princeton passed from out the reckoning.

### Pennsylvania Practically Eliminated

By holding the Indians to a tie, 6 to 6, last Saturday, Pennsylvania might be considered still in the running for the honors of the east, but a comparison of the work of the Redskins and the Quakers show that the aborigines outclass the peaceful sons of Pennsylvania. This is emphasized especially by the showing which both teams made against Pennsylvania state, Carlisle walloping the state Quakers, 12 to 0, on Oct. 3, while Pennsylvania could only beat the state squad, 6 to 0, a week later. In Saturday's game also the Indians showed their superiority over the Quakers. The first half ended with honors in favor of the Red and Blue, but the pace proved too strenuous for the Quakers and they were played off their feet in the second part. A wet field and slippery ball also handicapped the Indians, as their style of play obtains better results when the field is dry and hard.

### Big Western Games Next Saturday

Next Saturday's schedule will have little effect in determining the eastern championship as Yale is booked to meet a second division college, while Carlisle has a harder task in the naval cadets, the team which held vaunted Harvard to a 6 to 6 tie, last Saturday. In the west, however, Chicago and Wisconsin, rivals for the Big Eight honors, face the crucial games of the year. Chicago engages Minnesota at Marshall field, while the Badgers take on the aspiring Marquette squad out at Madison. The Maroons should rule a big favorite over the Gophers in their coming battle, as the work of Coach Williams' squad so far has been a distinct disappointment. The little Lawrence team gave the Gophers all the battle they wanted on Oct. 3, the "giants of the north" barely beating the Wisconsin college, 6 to 0. A week later, Ames held the Gophers, 15 to 10, and then Nebraska followed, playing Minnesota to a standstill, 0 to 0. Wisconsin eliminated Minnesota from consideration when the Badgers trimmed Lawrence, 93 to 0, on Oct. 10. Unless the Gophers show a decided reversal in form they will be helpless before the impregnable line that Coach Stag has at last secured. Since the innovation of the new style football the Gophers and Maroons have met twice, with an even division of the honors. Minnesota won in 1906, 5 to 2, and the Maroons emerged on top a year later, 18 to 12.

### Marquette Followers Hopeful

All Wisconsin interest centers in the big game between Marquette university and Wisconsin next Saturday, and from present indications a record crowd from Milwaukee will be in attendance. Although some of the Marquette followers are hopeful enough to predict victory it is not reasonable to expect the local institution to win. Coach Barry appears to have a better team this year than in some seasons past, and it is a certainty that his men will fight bitterly to down the ambitious Marquette eleven. On form, experience and in all around knowledge of the game, the Badgers seem to have the edge on Marquette and these factors, combined with the fact that the local boys will be battling in hostile territory probably will militate against Marquette's success. If Marquette can hold the Badgers to practically even terms it will be almost equivalent to a victory, and that is what Marquette supporters should be satisfied with, and not for.

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### COEY ENTERS CRAFT IN BALLOON RACE

CINCINNATI, O., Oct. 26.—Cincinnati is to have a balloon race, Nov. 14, and terms for the event will be of an international nature, and one entry has already been received from France and another from Canada. C. A. Coey of Chicago has entered his balloon, the Chicago.

### HARVARD AND NAVY PLAY A TIE GAME

MIDDLES SPRING A SURPRISE AND SCORE IS 6 TO 6

### CARLISLE TIES PENNSYLVANIA

Princeton and Syracuse Game Results in a 0 to 0 Tie With Honors to the Latter

The western gridiron did not offer much chance for excitement to the followers of the pigskin Saturday, as the big western universities were either idle or had easy games scheduled.

The east, however, furnished some surprises which were of the explosive variety. The Crimson of Harvard failed to respond to the appeals of the rooters and the best that they could do was to tie the plucky team from Annapolis with a score of 6 to 6.

The Carlisle Indians played the same trick on Pennsylvania and the best that the Quakers were able to do was to tie them, and the big crowd that saw the game were of the opinion that the red and blue were lucky they did not go down to defeat. The Pennsylvania team played the Indians off their feet in the first half, but let up in the second half to a great extent and the Carlisle team soon had them on the defensive. They tied the score by Thorpe's long run and a difficult goal.

Princeton too was tied by Syracuse whom they had expected to defeat. The Tigers were extremely fortunate to get off without being defeated, as the heavy Syracuse team had the advantage on the wet heavy field.

### In the West.

The west furnished but two games of interest, the Northwestern-Beloit game and the Michigan-Ohio State game. Beloit proved unable to hold the Purple team and Northwestern won by a score of 44 to 4. This result furnished a big surprise to those who thought that the Evanston team was weak after a three years' lay off. The dazzling victory of the Northwestern will give Purdue and Illinois ground for fears in the coming games.

Michigan was hard pressed in the game with Ohio State, and the Wolverines showed that they have not the team this year that they had in former years. Alldredge was the means of a victory for Michigan and had it not been for him the game might have resulted in a defeat despite the fact that Germany Schultz played with the team.

### Saturday's Results.

Northwestern, 44; Beloit, 4.  
Michigan, 10; Ohio State, 6.  
Nebraska, 10; Haskell Indians, 0.  
Monmouth, 11; Illinois Normal, 6.  
Creighton, 16; Ottawa, 0.  
Lake Forest, 22; Knox, 0.  
Iowa, 16; Morningside, 0.  
Kansas, 10; Washington, 0.  
Notre Dame, 88; P. & S., 0.  
Drake, 9; Grinnell, 0.  
Rose, 24; Millikin, 0.  
Kenyon, 4; Western Reserve, 0.  
Ames, 26; South Dakota, 0.  
Davenport, 45; Georgetown, 6.  
Indiana, 18; Freshmen, 0.  
St. Louis, 4; Walsh, 0.  
Oberlin, 18; Case, 0.  
Lawrence, 12; Hamline, 0.  
Northwestern (Wis.), 15; Carroll, 0.  
Hillsdale, 6; Klamazoo Normal, 5.  
Colorado College, 16; U. of Texas, 0.  
De Paul, 0; M. A. C., 0.  
Leland Stanford, 11; Nevada, 0.

### EAST.

Harvard, 6; Navy, 6.  
Pennsylvania, 6; Carlisle, 6.  
Yale, 38; W. and J., 0.  
Princeton, 0; Syracuse, 0.  
Williams, 40; Mass. Aggies, 0.  
Lafayette, 8; Brown, 6.  
Cornell, 9; Vermont, 0.  
West Point, 6; Colgate, 0.  
Tufts, 23; Maine, 5.  
Bowdoin, 9; Colby, 6.  
Amherst, 6; Trinity, 6.  
Dartmouth, 18; Holy Cross, 5.  
Tulane, 10; Kentucky Central, 0.  
Arkansas, 51; Henderson, 0.  
Auburn, 6; Sewanee, 0.  
Tennessee, 10; Georgia, 0.  
Vanderbilt, 29; Mississippi, 0.

### WOLGAST TO FIGHT ATTELL NOV. 10TH

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 26.—Ad Wolgast is going to get a crack at the world's featherweight at last. The local scrapper has been matched to meet Attehl in a twenty round battle before the Jeffries club of Los Angeles on the night of Nov. 10. They will fight at 122 pounds at 3 o'clock. Attehl made the match with the understanding that he be allowed to call it off in case Packey McFarland agrees to meet him before that time.

### FRESHIES WIN MEET FROM SOPHOMORES

MADISON, Wis., Oct. 26.—The freshmen pulled down an easy victory in the annual freshman-sophomore track and field meet at Camp Randall Saturday afternoon, taking the long end of a 92 to 24 score. Lit-

tle interest was taken in the meet by the second year men, and the freshmen took all the points in four events as a result. Gillette, (12), was the star of the meet, scoring four firsts in the two hurdle, high and broad jump events. Shaus, (12), of Milwaukee West Division took first in two events, the shot put and 100 yard dash, and added a third in the discus. The records were not as good as those made last year.

### SPORTING BRIEFS.

Madison—The freshmen furnished the Varsity an excellent scrimmage practice Saturday afternoon. Ostoff is showing up fine at end and the followers of the team think that he will remain a fixture at end.

Chicago—Joseph Tinker, the Cub shortstop, was found not guilty of assaulting John Cinciochio in the municipal court Saturday.

Birmingham—Harry Steinfeldt, the Cub's third baseman has been sued for \$5,000 by Charles Harris, an umpire, for injuries received in a practice game here April 2.

Minneapolis—An effort is being made to form a crew at the University of Minnesota. An excellent course can be had on the river and races can be arranged with the Wisconsin, at least, it is thought.

Burlington—Comisky's gasoline launch, the White Sox, ran on a snag and sank in the Mississippi river, but none of the baseball celebrities were injured. It will probably be raised soon.

Urbana—The Illinois team went through an excellent practice game with the freshmen and the polished way in which the team got off their plays greatly encouraged the rooters.

Chicago—The Maroons went through a hard scrimmage and practice Saturday and Stagg seems greatly encouraged by the prospects of the team in Saturday's game with Minnesota. The rooters are afraid that Chicago's line will prove their defeat.

Columbus, Ga.—"Ty" Cobb has about decided to listen to pleas from Mrs. Cobb and spend the winter in Georgia rather than on a baseball tour to Japan with the barnstormers. "Ty" will put in the winter hunting. You may say for me, and I speak for him," said Mrs. Cobb, who will take her husband to Augusta to visit her family.

### WESTERN LEAGUE ADDS TWO TEAMS

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 26.—Representatives of the Western league of Western Association baseball organizations officially ratified the sale of the Topeka and Wichita clubs of the Western association of the Western league. The consideration was \$2,500 for each team.

The sale of these clubs was agreed upon some time ago, but was not officially consummated until yesterday. The Western league now has an eight-club circuit, while the Western association has only six clubs remaining. There are seven cities asking for admission to the Western association.

### TO KNIFE AYLWARD FOR AN OLD GRUDGE

MADISON, Wis., Oct. 24.—Because John A. Aylward, democratic candidate for governor, while city attorney twice secured his conviction on the charge of renting his hotel for immoral purposes, Francis A. Ogden, known as Madison's "millionaire miser," is going to use

unique means to insure the defeat of Aylward in the coming election.

Yesterday Ogden spent two hours in a local newspaper office, perusing a newspaper directory and copying the names of all the larger papers printed in the state, to which he will send communications bearing on his own alleged innocence and Aylward's alleged questionable methods to secure his conviction. His communication will set forth, among other things, that the Madison police force is a hotbed of graft and corruption; that Aylward used questionable methods to obtain testimony against him (Ogden) and a varied assortment of charges that are interesting principally because they are ridiculous.

### BOYS ASSAIL TAFT.

DECATUR, Ind., Oct. 24.—Taft was hounded with shelled corn by a crowd of boys and hit in the face. Neither he nor his companions' eyes were injured. The railroad detective scattered the boys.

## VIRGINIA'S FOOTBALL OUTLOOK



Head Coach M. T. Cooke at left and

BY R. W. CARRINGTON

Asst. Manager Football Team. As is no doubt well known, the university of Virginia has adopted the alumni coach system. This is her second year under such a regime, and there is every reason to believe that it will prove successful. Head Coach

Captain Cloth at right.

Cooke is a man of ability, having played on the team for four years. In 1906 he was captain of the team and an All-Southern tackle. Recently, at the invitation of "Johnny" Desaulles, he has spent several days at Yale, in special study of the New Haven tactics. He and his assistants have the confidence and support of the whole university.

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### SALVATION ARMY MAN A DESERTER

MASON CITY, Ia., Oct. 26.—

Soundly converted at a Salvation

Army meeting here Bayard Brooke

confessed that he was a fugitive

from the naval prison ship at New-

port News, and gave himself up to

the officers, and declared that he

was willing to take the punishment

he deserved.

He told the story that he partici-

pated in a mutiny off the coast of

Hayti about two years ago, and for

this was sentenced for three years.

He escaped two days before he was

to be transferred to the prison ship.

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6-Sunday	6,351	21-Mon	6,407
7-Mon	6,337	22-Tues	6,427
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FRANK H. BURGESS.  
Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this thirtieth day of September, 1908.  
A. E. BLEEKMAN  
Notary Public.

## IN THE POLITICAL "STRETCH."

The closing week in a presidential  
campaign has opened. It will be a  
week of "whirlwind campaigning,"  
but it will have little effect upon the  
outcome. The opinions of men by  
this time are set, and few will vote  
differently the first Tuesday in No-  
vember than they would vote were  
the election taking place today.

The Tribune has but one plea to  
make to its readers affecting the na-  
tional election. It is to vote as the  
believe to be right; to rise above  
party considerations, to put principle  
ahead of party. This is an appeal for  
the support of no particular candi-  
date. We do not assume to possess  
a superior knowledge that would jus-  
tify our choosing for others between  
Mr. Bryan and Mr. Taft. We do say  
every man should support the one of  
these men who, in his opinion, will  
do most to contribute to the lasting  
good of the whole people. We have  
endeavored to publish the news, to  
throw light upon the issues. We be-  
lieve the readers of this paper are  
well informed as to the respective  
policies and candidates of the parties.  
We believe them well qualified to  
judge for themselves. The issue is  
of mighty importance, but we are  
happy in the conclusion that the elec-  
tion of neither candidate will be a  
catastrophe, for each is a gentleman,  
a scholar, a man of undeniable qual-  
ifications for the high office sought.  
If every voter will cast aside arbi-  
trary party prejudice, if every conser-  
vative will vote for the candidate he  
believes is the more conservative  
without reference to partyism, there  
will have been an honest expression  
of opinion, and the majority will rule.  
The Tribune will be satisfied if ev-  
ery voter shall approach the voting  
booth imbued with the sacredness of  
the duty of voting as deliberate con-  
science dictates, for then emancipa-  
tion from party bossism will have  
been achieved and a splendid victory  
won, no matter what the outcome as  
to the election of a president.

It is hardly necessary to urge the  
re-election of Hon. John J. Esch.  
His victory is a foregone conclusion.  
He has grown to be one of the dozen  
most influential men in congress, his  
activities always leading him in the  
way of progress, and he has done for  
his district a splendid work in se-  
curing for it its just portion of the  
benefits of taxation. Our plea for him  
is not that he may be re-elected. That  
is sure. Let La Crosse county see to  
it that he is given recognition for his  
splendid service by piling up for

him a greater majority than any with  
which it has ever honored him.

Turning to state matters, we find  
the problem a complex one. We are  
morally convinced that Governor  
Davidson has formed an alliance with  
the reactionary Stephenson, and we  
know that he voted against the Wis-  
consin tariff idea in the state plat-  
form convention, offering nothing as  
a substitute. So far as we know, his  
administration has been fairly in ac-  
cord with the progressive program  
that has been pursued in this state  
through the efforts of the La Fol-  
lette organization. On the other  
hand, Aylward is characterized, at  
least by his enemies, as a "stalwart  
democrat," and we know he has on  
at least one occasion opposed the  
promulgation by the democrats of a  
policy of defending primary election.  
If Davidson is elected and a republi-  
can legislature with him, Stephen-  
son, a standpatter, goes to the sen-  
ate. If Aylward is elected, Brown, a  
former corporation lobbyist and an al-  
leged standpatter, goes to the sen-  
ate. Frankly, it looks like choosing  
between the devil and the deep sea,  
and we have no suggestions to offer,  
other than that the claim that David-  
son's victory means the perfecting of  
a new anti-La Follette machine de-  
serves careful consideration.

There is one way, however, in  
which every man who holds dear the  
integrity of government, who enjoys  
pride in the progress that has been  
made in state government in Wiscon-  
sin, who views with satisfaction the  
leadership of this state in the uplift  
of government, may in our opinion  
contribute to the cause he regards so  
highly. That is by sending La Fol-  
lette men to the legislature.

Senator Thomas Morris is such a  
man. His part in the reformation of  
Wisconsin government is no small  
one. He is a progressive of the  
staunchest type. He shirks no duty  
because of political hazard; he de-  
votes himself with a splendid gen-  
erosity to the work of building up  
here a commonwealth after which  
the national government may  
profitably pattern. His value to his  
home community needs no other  
testimonial than the great normal  
school now being built up in our city.  
He achieved this, when others had  
failed. He gave to it the care and  
endeavor of his vigorous mentality  
and the force of his persuasive influ-  
ence. His triumph was the triumph  
of his constituents, and his record  
entitles him the support of every  
citizen of La Crosse.

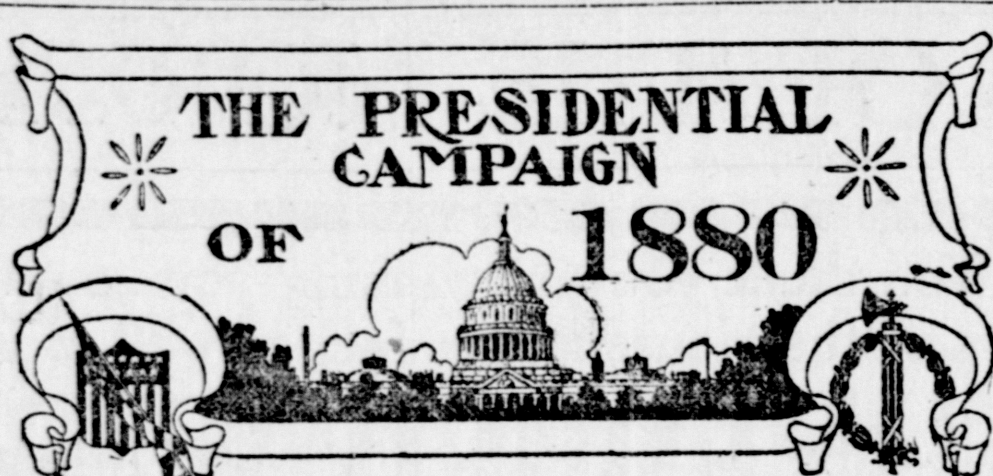
The Tribune earnestly supported  
the nomination for the assembly of  
J. E. McConnell. It believed him to  
be the right type of man for the  
office. Scholarly, dignified, clean, ag-  
gressive but always fair, he comes  
of our best citizenship, and in his  
election we see assurance that this  
important district shall be repre-  
sented by one who will be a credit to  
it in every way, and who will surely  
contribute to the growth of good  
government. That he is a party candi-  
date should be forgotten, and upon  
the basis of his personal attainments  
and of his affiliation with the ruling  
progressives in a manner to make his  
efforts count, he should have the  
votes of all citizens who want to see  
this city powerfully and cleanly re-  
presented.

In county affairs we do not feel  
called upon to urge the election of a  
candidate for each office. There are  
many good men in the lists, and this  
is a happy instance wherein there  
appear no undesirables whose election  
would redound to the discredit  
of the commonwealth.

For one candidate, however, we  
want to say an earnest word. That  
candidate is Charles Rawlinson, as-  
pirant for county clerk on the republi-  
can ticket. In the primary he was  
involved in a contest which was of  
a vigorous nature. His opponent, true  
to party ethics, announced at its close  
that he would support Mr. Rawlinson  
loyally, and that generous stand  
may have done much to wipe out any  
bitterness that may have been en-  
gendered. We hope so. In supporting  
Mr. Rawlinson's nomination we were  
actuated by the belief that his ad-  
ministration of his office has been  
one of unusual intelligence and ap-  
plication. These same considerations  
move us to ask that voters give him  
the support his splendid efficiency  
warrants. He is a useful official, one  
whose service has been far above  
the average. He is a progressive  
young man, and deserves to be re-  
turned to his office for another term,  
during which, it is our deep convic-  
tion, he will prove as valuable a  
public servant as any elected from  
this county in 1908.

## The Woman's Way

"No," said the higher critic, "I  
don't believe everything in the Bi-  
ble. For instance, I don't believe  
there was any snake to tempt Eve."  
"You don't?"  
"No, I feel pretty sure it was just  
an appleworm and she magnified it."  
—Philadelphia Press.



During the closing years of the  
first administration of President  
Hayes, the democrats not only main-  
tained their power in the lower  
house of congress, but having car-  
ried a number of state elections,  
enough democratic senators were  
sent to Washington to give the dem-  
ocrats a majority in the senate also.  
For the first time since the civil  
war they controlled both houses of  
congress, although because of a re-  
publican president were unable to  
enact any important party measures.  
This situation was reflected in a con-  
siderable degree of confidence in the  
democratic party as the country ap-  
proached the campaign of 1880.  
Particularly was there in prospect an  
opportunity for a highly colored cam-  
paign in view of the fact that many  
sections of the country considered  
that Samuel J. Tilden had been rob-  
bed of the presidency by the elec-  
toral commission in 1876.

On the republican side there was  
no lack of candidates for the nomina-  
tion of president and as a result the  
convention was again forced to pick  
a dark horse, as it had done four  
years before in the case of Hayes.  
First among the republican candi-  
dates was General Grant, who, while  
not eager himself for the nomination  
allowed his name to be proposed by  
some of his friends who wished to  
accord him the unprecedented honor  
of a third term. He had just re-  
turned from a remarkable tour  
around the world and was more than  
ever a hero. The people of the Uni-  
ted States felt a personal pride in  
the splendid reception which had  
been accorded to Grant abroad and  
there was now a disposition to over-  
look and forget the mistakes of his  
administration and remember only  
his deeds as a soldier in the civil war.  
The leader of Grant's forces in the  
convention was Senator Roscoe Con-  
kling of New York. Conkling was  
supported by Don Cameron of Pen-  
sylvania and Gen. John A. Logan of  
Illinois. But there were many re-  
publicans who could not forget the  
scandals of Grant's second term and  
still more important was the un-  
written law against a third term.

Next to Grant, Blaine, who had  
come so near getting the nomination  
in 1876, was the most popular candi-  
date. There were many who felt  
he had been unjustly and cruelly  
treated and there were many eager  
to record their verdict of acquittal  
from the malignant charges which  
had been made against him since  
1876.

But there were many more who  
preferred a candidate against whom  
no charges whatever had ever rested  
and who would, therefore, not be a  
handicap of any nature to the party.  
Some of these preferred George F.  
Edmunds of Vermont. Others fa-  
vored John Sherman, who had just  
completed four years as secretary of  
the treasury, during which he had  
won great honor by the skill and  
success with which he had brought  
about the resumption of specie pay-  
ments.

The convention met at Chicago on  
June 2. Its final action was largely  
the result of an old-time feud be-  
tween Blaine and Conkling. Con-  
kling had defeated Blaine's nomi-  
nation in 1876 and now that Conkling  
was doing all in his power to bring  
about Grant's nomination for a third

term, it was Blaine's turn to thwart  
Conkling by defeating Grant, to  
whom also he was honestly opposed.  
After many preliminary skirmishes  
over rules of procedure, on the fourth  
day of the convention the nomina-  
tions were made. Mr. Joy of Michi-  
gan presented the name of Blaine.  
Conkling nominated Grant. Gen.  
James A. Garfield of Ohio nominated  
John Sherman. On the first ballot  
the vote stood, Grant 304, Blaine  
284, Sherman 93, scattering 75. The  
32 ballots followed without any ma-  
terial change in the strength of  
Grant, Blaine or Sherman. On the  
thirty-fourth ballot Garfield received  
the 16 votes of Wisconsin. The Ed-  
munds and other independent dele-  
gates and also those who had been  
voting for Blaine and Sherman now  
rapidly changed to Garfield. It was  
a case of anything to beat Grant.  
Blaine, by telegraph, was able to  
transfer every vote cast for him to  
Garfield, except that of a colored  
delegate from Virginia. Sherman,  
who disliked Conkling quite as much  
as did Blaine, was able to do prac-  
tically the same thing. On the thirty-  
sixth ballot General Garfield was  
nominated, receiving 399 votes, or  
21 more than necessary to a choice.  
Conkling was bitterly disappointed.  
As a consolation he was allowed to  
name the candidate for vice presi-  
dent and he designated of his pos-  
ition Chester A. Arthur, collector of  
the port of New York and a con-  
spicuous advocate of Grant.

The democratic national conven-  
tion met in Cincinnati on June 22.  
The logic of the situation required  
the nomination of Mr. Tilden, who,  
his friends declared, had been count-  
ed out by the republicans in 1876.  
But a few days before the meeting of  
the convention he announced a pos-  
itive declaration to be a candidate  
again. After several ineffectual bal-  
lots, Gen. Winfield Scott Hancock of  
Pennsylvania received the nomina-  
tion. William H. English of Indiana  
was named for vice president.

The Greenback party, which had  
increased enormously in strength  
since the last presidential election,  
nominated Gen. James B. Weaver  
of Iowa, while Gen. Neal Dow of  
Maine was put forward by the prohi-  
bitionists.

The campaign was not one of ex-  
ceptional warmth or excitement. The  
results of the September elections  
were discouraging to the republicans.  
By small majority Maine was carried  
by the Greenbackers and democrats.  
Until now Conkling and many of the  
Grant followers had been sulky and  
had refused to take the field in the  
interest of Garfield's election. Alarmed  
at the result of the Maine elec-  
tion, however, they came out and  
worked for the success of the ticket  
during the few remaining days of the  
campaign.

The result of the election was that  
Garfield carried all the northern  
states except New Jersey, Nevada  
and California. Hancock carried  
these three, together with all the  
southern states. The electoral vote  
stood, Garfield 214, Hancock 155,  
but Garfield's popular plurality was  
only 10,000 in a total of 9,000,000  
votes. For the first time since the  
civil war the republicans had re-  
ceived no electoral votes from the  
states south of Mason and Dixon's  
line.

## Force of Habit

At a certain county court the judge  
is, in his private capacity, a very  
kind-hearted man. The usher of the  
court is aged—very aged—but as he  
had been a faithful servant, for many  
years, he was retained in that ca-  
pacity.

One morning he fell asleep in court  
and began to snore.  
The noise he made naturally dis-  
turbed court proceedings, but the  
judge displayed great tact in dealing  
with the matter.

"Usher Jones," he called out loud-  
ly, "some one is snoring."  
The usher woke up. He jumped to  
his feet and glared ferociously round.  
"Silence!" he roared. "There must  
be no snoring in court!"—Exchange.

## Sure Thing

Auto, and the world auto with you;  
Walk, and you walk alone;  
And you can't get into society  
If you have no wheel of your own.

Don't Abbreviate  
Pupil (reading)—And his body  
was infirm, "that you will have a  
spacious er Pompey the Great."  
Teacher—With what? Are you  
mad?

Pupil—Well, it sees here "With  
Great Pomp," but you told me last  
week that I wasn't to abbreviate when  
I was readin', so I read it out full—  
London Opinion.

He Knew How to Vote  
A republican orator concluded his  
speech with the announcement that  
he would be glad to answer any ar-  
guments put forward by the other  
side.

An old Irish-American citizen ac-  
cepted the challenge.  
"Eight years ago," he said, "they  
told us to vote for Bryan, an' that  
we'd be prosperous. Oi did vote for  
Bryan, an' Oi've never been so prosper-  
ous in all me loife, an' now, be-  
gorry, Oi'm goin' to vote for him  
again."

Back the villain slunk, dismayed,  
While the chorus was essayed  
Gratefully again—once more  
He was foiled by an encore.  
—Kansas City Times.

Joke on the Agent.  
The book agent seldom tells a joke  
at his own expense, but here is one  
recently related by one of the much  
maligned fraternity:  
"I had been in poor health," said  
this particular book agent, "and had  
been advised to go to the mountains  
of eastern Tennessee to recuperate.  
To kill two birds with one stone, I  
took along some specimens of an en-  
cyclopedia I had on my list, thinking  
I might possibly get a few orders.  
The first person I tackled was a ty-  
pical mountaineer. He was sitting  
in the sun in front of his shack,  
watching a little brook that flowed  
in front of the house. He listened  
attentively while I got off my little  
speech, and, although I knew I was  
up against a hopeless subject, I went  
through my rignmarole to the very  
end. He said he allowed he could  
get along without an encyclopedia.  
"Then I started afresh, and I saw  
he was getting a trifle bored. 'Why,  
sir, no family is complete without  
this book,' I exclaimed.  
"Taint, hugh?' he drawled. 'What  
do you consider a complete family?'  
See them 'ere young uns a-playin'  
about?"  
"I nodded.  
"How many d'ye see?" he de-  
manded.  
"I counted nine.  
"There's two more at school," he  
said, "an' three boys a-workin' down  
on the new railroad cut. How many  
do that make?"  
"Fourteen," I said.  
"Then he commenced to call his  
dogs. 'See them hounds?' he asked.  
"I saw them.  
"Wall, they's six 'o' them, an'  
three more often in the woods. How  
many do that make?"  
"I told him nine.  
"So no family is complete without  
that 'ere book, eh?" he ruminated.  
"Pears to me fo'teen children an'  
nine daws is a putty complete fam-  
ily, an' I hev managed to struggle  
along without it so fur."—New York  
Times.

At the Circus  
"The two living skeletons have  
married."  
"Well, you can't say anything  
about their being made one flesh."  
—Bohemian Magazine.

Scene from "The Great Divide," La Crosse Theatre, Tonight.

## SPOTLIGHTS

"The Great Divide,"  
Town talk, theatrically considered,  
is centered upon "The Great Divide,"  
which is announced for the La Crosse  
theater tonight. With this notable  
drama, by William Vaughn Moody,  
Mr. Miller has reached the zenith of  
his career as a producing manager.  
Never has an American play by an  
American author won such instant  
recognition at the hands of the most  
discriminating dramatic reviewers.  
"The long awaited great American  
play" many critics have termed it.  
The unquestioned power and intense  
human appeal of this masterpiece of  
dramatic literature, as well as the in-  
tellectual and highly artistic presen-  
tation and production, as directed by  
the past master of stage craftsmanship,  
Henry Miller, easily explains the  
phenomenal vogue this piece has  
attained.

The Season's Feature.  
Of all the attractions that will be  
seen this season there are none that  
have aroused the anticipation of the  
local theater-goers to such an extent  
as the engagement of Miss Minnie  
Dupree in the Shuberts' Lyric the-  
atre superb comedy, "The Road to  
Yesterday," with the entire original  
cast and production, which returns  
to the La Crosse theater Oct. 29.

Lion and Mouse Again.  
The fact that "The Lion and the  
Mouse" has been such a phenomenal  
artistic and pecuniary success over  
the country for three years, has a  
peculiar bearing on the work of  
Charles Klein, the author. John Bur-  
kett Ryder, the lion of many millions,  
has never experienced defeat during  
his strenuous business career, and  
every turn he makes brings monetary  
gain. It is not known whether or  
not Henry B. Harris placed any  
credence in the existing triumph of  
the leading character in the play as  
a money maker, being brought to a  
pleasing and unquestionable reality.  
Nevertheless, Ryder and his business  
methods, as pictured by Mr. Klein,  
have carried the play to a point of  
success within a small radius, as few  
have achieved the success enjoyed by  
this great drama of finance.

Mr. Harris sends a special com-  
pany and entirely new production in  
"The Lion and the Mouse," to the La  
Crosse theater on Friday, Oct. 30.

QUIPS AND CRANKS  
AND WANTON WILES

Stage Realism.  
Bathed in misty, moony light,  
To his love he sang that night  
What he truly meant to be  
An impassioned melody.

Little, so it seemed, recked he  
Of his rivals, villainy,  
That with plotting and gleaming knife  
He was waging 'gainst his life.

She, it seems, slept on above,  
Hearing not his song of love  
"Not strange, either, since his stunt  
Mostly was directed 'front.'"

When last the nasal Bray  
Was heard to die away,  
From behind a maché tree  
Crept the villain stealthily.

With his knife raised for the plunge,  
He made the fatal lunge—  
When a tumult of applause  
Made his arm in midair pause!

Back the villain slunk, dismayed,  
While the chorus was essayed  
Gratefully again—once more  
He was foiled by an encore.  
—Kansas City Times.

Joke on the Agent.  
The book agent seldom tells a joke  
at his own expense, but here is one  
recently related by one of the much  
maligned fraternity:  
"I had been in poor health," said  
this particular book agent, "and had  
been advised to go to the mountains  
of eastern Tennessee to recuperate.  
To kill two birds with one stone, I  
took along some specimens of an en-  
cyclopedia I had on my list, thinking  
I might possibly get a few orders.  
The first person I tackled was a ty-  
pical mountaineer. He was sitting  
in the sun in front of his shack,  
watching a little brook that flowed  
in front of the house. He listened  
attentively while I got off my little  
speech, and, although I knew I was  
up against a hopeless subject, I went  
through my rignmarole to the very  
end. He said he allowed he could  
get along without an encyclopedia.  
"Then I started afresh, and I saw  
he was getting a trifle bored. 'Why,  
sir, no family is complete without  
this book,' I exclaimed.  
"Taint, hugh?' he drawled. 'What  
do you consider a complete family?'  
See them 'ere young uns a-playin'  
about?"  
"I nodded.  
"How many d'ye see?" he de-  
manded.  
"I counted nine.  
"There's two more at school," he  
said, "an' three boys a-workin' down  
on the new railroad cut. How many  
do that make?"  
"Fourteen," I said.  
"Then he commenced to call his  
dogs. 'See them hounds?' he asked.  
"I saw them.  
"Wall, they's six 'o' them, an'  
three more often in the woods. How  
many do that make?"  
"I told him nine.  
"So no family is complete without  
that 'ere book, eh?" he ruminated.  
"Pears to me fo'teen children an'  
nine daws is a putty complete fam-  
ily, an' I hev managed to struggle  
along without it so fur."—New York  
Times.

At the Circus  
"The two living skeletons have  
married."  
"Well, you can't say anything  
about their being made one flesh."  
—Bohemian Magazine.

He spoke quite unconsciously with  
a curious and impressive conviction.  
From the first, Joy had appeared to  
him as the impersonation of youth  
and strength and health, and there-  
fore immune. The best type of  
trained nurse invariably produces  
this impression; and it is likely that  
they are themselves sensible of their  
power not only to attack, but also to  
defend themselves, against the coun-  
ter attack of any disease however  
contagious.

"You've been awfully kind and  
sympathetic, Charters." He held out  
his hand. His soft, brown eyes  
were suffused with gratitude. He  
continued with restraint, still hold-  
ing Hugo's hand: "Perhaps you've  
been through something of this sort  
yourself?"  
"Perhaps," Hugo withdrew his  
hand.

Burgess stared at him, not of-  
fensively, but as if with a clearer  
vision. Viewed in this new light,  
Hugo presented a solid appearance.  
"You're much older than I, Char-  
ters?"

"Years and years and years, and  
more than years."  
"Why do you laugh?"  
"Because"—his voice was very  
pleasant—"I can read you so  
easily. For an instant you became  
jealous of me. You feared that I  
might snatch your Joy if I were left  
alone with her."

"Oh, I say—"  
"To put your mind at ease, let  
me tell you this. I know that I can  
rely upon your discretion. I'm en-  
gaged to be married. Within a few  
months I shall be married. Now, go  
your way with a light heart. And  
look here, if I catch anyone poach-  
ing on your preserves, I'll let you  
know."

"Then I'm off."  
His voice rang out gaily. He was  
glad to be off, glad to escape the  
certainty of seeing sickness and  
death. The artistic temperament,  
adoring what is beautiful, loathes  
with equal intensity what is ugly;  
and the relief in the young fellow's  
tone because at once the measure of  
his courage, because he had confronted  
fear bravely, knowing his own  
weakness, but subduing it. Hugo  
had seen strong men sink from a  
cholera-infested camp, leaving their  
comrades to die; many had remain-  
ed; some because fear and they were  
strangers, others because they were  
strong enough to wrestle with the  
devil that possessed them and east  
him out; and these last had been  
the bravest men he had ever known.

Next day, early in the morning,  
Esme Burgess drove away from  
Hernshaw Parva; but before he left  
he knew that one of the Mowland  
children was dead, and that the fe-  
ver had spread to the adjoining cot-  
tages.

## XII.

The Misses Mottisfont received the  
news of the diphtheria from the lips  
of Esther Purkess, the pretty par-  
lour-maid. Elias Purkess, her father,  
a lineal descendant of the Pur-  
kesses who helped to remove the body  
of the king when he was shot in the  
woods below Kingscross, lived in a  
cottage near the Mowlands. This  
man serves as an excellent example  
of the effect of climate and environ-  
ment upon a family. The historical  
Purkess had been a charcoal burner.  
After nearly a thousand years, his  
descendants remained charcoal-burn-  
ers, chimney-sweeps, cutters of fern,  
and poachers. Tenaciously they had  
clung to their habitat—never leav-  
ing it, never seeking to better their  
position in life, content to increase  
and multiply in the very humble  
station first assigned to them. Es-  
ther's father, for instance, was an  
earth-stopper in the hunting season,  
and, as such, not without a certain  
local standing; also he could drink  
more ale than any other man in  
Hernshaw Parva without getting  
drunk; he played an astonishing  
game of quoits, and he had thirteen  
children. Esther, a true Forester  
(inasmuch as the prospect of illness  
or death excited her profoundly),  
suggested to Miss Pricilla the prop-  
erty of returning home "to help  
mother," it being absolutely certain  
that the diphtheria would levy a heavy  
toll upon the Purkess family. Miss  
Pricilla said "Rubbish!" in a voice  
not to be gainsaid, and instructed  
Esther to keep away from her peo-  
ple, and, indeed, to confine her  
walks to the kitchen-garden.

Then, as soon as the maid had  
whisked rather indignantly out of  
the room, she said calmly to Miss  
Lavina:

(To be Continued)

Report of the Financial Condition  
of the

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Overdrafts ..... 3,040.50  
U. S. bonds ..... 400,000.00  
Other bonds ..... 191,602.42  
Banking house and  
fixtures ..... 60,000.00  
5 per cent redemption  
fund ..... 20,000.00  
Cash ..... 212,983.29  
Due from banks ..... 503,565.38  
\$3,426,611.88

LIABILITIES  
Capital stock ..... \$400,000.00  
Surplus ..... 100,000.00  
Undivided profits ..... 26,453.79  
Nat. bank notes out-  
standing ..... 385,000.00  
Deposits ..... 2,511,639.46  
Certified checks ..... 209.50  
Dividends unpaid ..... 200.00  
Reserved for taxes ..... 1,109.13  
\$3,426,611.88



# THE COMPLETE NEWS OF THE NORTH SIDE TODAY

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## MISS GHOGA IS QUIETLY WEDDED

NORTH-SIDE GIRL BRIDE OF CHARLESTON, VA., MAN

## CEREMONY SATURDAY NIGHT

Bridal Couple Ready to Weave for Groom's Home Before Friends are Told

A marriage was quietly performed at the parsonage of the Caledonia Street M. E. church, Saturday evening by Rev. Ingham, when Mr. James Williams of Charleston, Va., was united to Miss Merrill Ghoga of this city. Miss Ghoga is a well known young lady of the north side.

The marriage was not known by friends until they were about to leave on their honeymoon. The couple left Sunday morning for Charleston, the home of the groom, where they will spend a few days' visiting.

## BOWLING SCORES ON NORTH SIDE

The Sons of Daylight held their regular weekly meet at the Kisselbachs alleys last evening and made the following scores:

Hanson	116	97	71
Fasting	144	119	119
Moe	106	97	65
Cagle	100	132	132
	466	445	263
The other team:			
A. Moe	61	125	99
Hoeckner	102	109	90
Kisselbach	116	102	106
Anderson	124	106	107
	493	442	402

## NORTH SIDE BRIEFS.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Kowitz of Sparta, who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Granke, have returned to their home in Sparta.

Mrs. Sanders, who has been visiting her son, Rev. L. L. Sanders, for a week has returned to her home in Litchfield, Ill.

Mr. Henry Layland of Wood street is moving his family and household goods to the south side.

Miss Mabel Canaan of 1602 Loom street entertained a number of her friends in honor of Mrs. Anna Loyd

## Acid And Alkali In The Stomach

Digests The Food Naturally If In Right Proportion; If Not: Then Dyspepsia.

Acid and alkali make up the liquid known as gastric juice, which digests your food.

If through abuse of the stomach, or weakness of blood or through scores of other causes this gastric juice is not made up correctly of acid and alkali, your stomach cannot digest food.

Such a stomach then acts as a pit where the food lies ferments, decays, is thrown off at last, either into the intestines or is vomited from the system.

If thrown into the intestines a large proportion of it is taken up and passed into the blood, for the intestines are covered on the inside surfaces with millions of little mouths which are placed there to suck up nourishment for the blood.

You may readily see that if instead of good rich nourishment there is vile poisonous fermented bile and acid, these same little mouths suck some of it by necessity and pass it into the blood. The blood in turn throws it off and the system is immediately placed in an imperfect state.

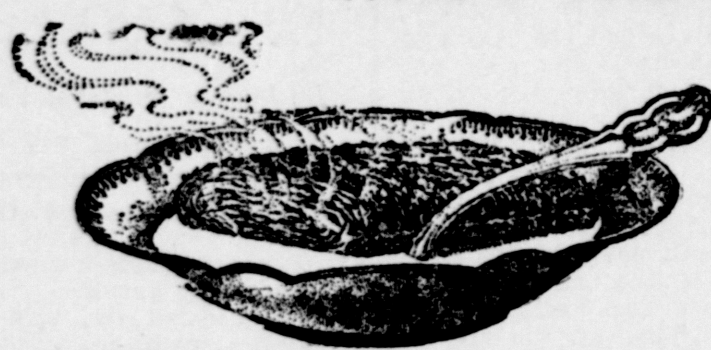
The blood is weakened, the tissues lose strength, the skin becomes diseased and man in general suffers in a score of places.

Then again the blood furnishes gastric juice to the stomach, for when the gastric juice is not needed for digestive purposes it goes back to the blood. When food comes into the stomach the nerves along the Alimentary Canal and in the mouth signal the brain for help and the blood immediately furnishes sufficient gastric juice to do the work well and quickly.

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## TWO CONVENTIONS START TOMORROW

ENGLISH LUTHERANS HERE IN THREE-DAY SESSION

## WOMEN'S MISSIONARY SOCY.

Large Number of Strangers Will be in City to Attend Sessions at Holy Trinity Church

Two big English Lutheran conventions will begin sessions in this city tomorrow. The larger, that of the Central conference of the synod, will take the attention of the male delegates, while the women's home and foreign missionary society will open service—Pastor loci.

The program for the synod conference follows:  
**Tuesday, Oct. 27.**  
8:00 p. m.—Chief service with holy communion; sermon by the Rev. A. F. Elmquist, Ph. D., president of the central conference.

**Wednesday, Oct. 28.**  
9:00 a. m.—Matin service. Report of the president. Notice of special business. Reports from the field. Papers—"The Enigmas of Human Life, and Their Solution"—By the Rev. F. L. Gruber.

Discussion opened by the Rev. Wm. F. Bacher.  
**Wednesday Afternoon.**  
2:00—Devotional exercises, conducted by the Rev. L. B. Deck. Paper—"The Ideal Pastor"—By the Rev. J. L. Murphy.

Discussion opened by the Rev. O. S. Yeger.  
Paper—"The Ideal Church Member"—By the Rev. Willis Beck.

Discussion opened by the Rev. John Keehley.  
**Wednesday Evening.**  
8:00—Vesper service, conducted by the Rev. W. H. Gable. Fifteen-minute address. Subjects: "As a Member of the Church of the Reformation, What Can I Do, for Home Missions?"—By the Rev. A. J. Reichert. "For Inner Missions."—By the Rev. G. H. Trabert, D. D. "For Foreign Missions?"—By the Rev. Geo. H. Schnur.

**Thursday, Oct. 29.**  
9:00 a. m.—Matin service, conducted by the Rev. J. J. Clemens. Business. Paper—"Augsburg Confession, Art. X."—By the Rev. R. W. Yeany. Discussion opened by the Rev. Mr. Ulrich.

"Study of the Gospel for the Twentieth Sunday After Trinity"—By the Rev. R. A. Helms.

**Missionary Convention.**  
Following is the program for the missionary society convention of the ladies on the same dates:

**Thursday Morning, Oct. 29.**  
Opening service—Pastor loci. Hymn.

Roll call and reception of delegates. Enrollment of visitors.

Minutes. Address of welcome. Response. Report of president. Report of executive committee. Report of corresponding secretary. Report of treasurer. Appointment of committees. Adjournment.

**Thursday Afternoon.**  
Opening service. Roll call.

of Sparta, who has been visiting at the home for a few days.

Mrs. Heber of St. Paul is visiting at the home of Mrs. F. E. Briebach for a few days.

Mr. C. Corzan is confirmed at his home with blood poison.

Miss Anna Shaddock has returned to her home, 1810 Kane street after a several weeks' visit in Milwaukee. Miss Shaddock was compelled to come home on account of an attack of blood poison.

Mrs. Lynch of Austin, Minn., is spending a few days on the north side with friends.

Mr. Trom of Winona, who has the large Bowling alley in that city, was on the north side yesterday looking at the Kisselbach and the Combination alleys. He says that bowling here is not so rushing as in Winona. Mr. Trom owns a bowling establishment with eight alleys.

Mr. Peter Johnson has returned from a several days' visit in Denver, Col.

Minutes. Reading of letters from missionaries. Music. Paper on home missions. Unfinished business. Report of committees. Election of officers. Adjournment.

**Thursday Evening.**  
Vespers. Address on Foreign Missions—Rev. Orlando S. Yeger. Address on Home Missions—Rev. G. H. Trabert, D. D.

The officers are: President, Mrs. G. H. Trabert; vice president, Mrs. John Keehley; Secretary, Mrs. Geo. H. Schnur; corresponding secretary, Mrs. A. J. Reichert; treasurer, Mrs. L. J. Good.

## RAY PENDDERGAST IS GIVEN SURPRISE

Master Ray Penddergast was given a pleasant surprise by a number of his friends in honor of his sixth birthday. He received a large number of presents. Those present were Misses Julia and Theresa Severson, Hazel Jackson, Ollie Taylor, Ruth Burnt, Echo Gauke and Masters Wesley and Nisum Taylor, Leonard Christianon, Glen Penddergast, Adolf and Raymond Olsen and Ray Penddergast.

The evening was spent by the young folks in games. Refreshments were served.

Different from others in action and effect: Satin skin cream is worth trying.

## NORTH SIDE TO HEAR MISS SOLON

The first division of the Ladies' Aid society of the Caledonia St. M. E. church is planning to give a musical Thursday, Nov. 12, in the church. Miss Estelle Solon is to be the soloist and the entire program is made up of the best talent in the city. This will be one of the leading events of the North Side this winter and every one is invited.

## THIEVERY LAID TO BROADWAY

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Gotham's Rialto—that portion of the white light district of Broadway which begins somewhere along Twenty-fourth street and ends somewhere the other side of Long Acre square—came in for a castigation today at the hands of Edward P. Moxey, expert bank examiner for the United States department of justice.

Upon the winning and dining, the abandonment of revelry, and the disregard for the conventional of this restricted area of enchantment was placed the blame for defalcations, peculations, and speculations of men, high and low, in the financial world. From the dazzle and glare and the temptations of Broadway, Mr. Moxey declared, inspiration was drawn for imitations the country over.

"You mean the 'Broadway' New York?" he was asked when he had said New York was the cause of it all. "I mean the 'Broadway' New York," he answered quietly. "I mean the gorgeous hotels and restaurants, the bars, gambling houses, the myriad of theatres, palatial apartment houses, turning night into day. I mean the flood of money in New York upon which this life is borne along, the craving for vast incomes by which alone such a life can be lived."

**Revel on Others' Money.**  
"To say that even a bare majority of the tens of thousands of men who nightly swell the crowd of amusement crazed spenders, who live in \$5,000 apartments and whose touring cars congest the streets, are doing this with money which is honestly theirs is absurd. They are not earning this money; they are either juggling other people's cash or they are gambling with their own."

"When you can go into a restaurant at 2 o'clock in the morning and behold \$60,000 worth of women's gowns at the tables and \$3,000 worth of food in process of consumption, something is wrong. And when you observe \$500,000 worth of automobiles waiting to take this one supper crowd to their homes—over elsewhere—you may be sure there is queer bookkeeping somewhere."

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## THE STRIKING POLITICAL STORY OF NEW STATE OF OKLAHOMA



THOMAS P. GORE.

(By W. F. Kerr.)  
OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Oct. 22.—So far as state issues are involved the campaign in Oklahoma consists of a well defined policy of attack by the Republicans upon the acts of the state administration and of the first state legislature, and the corresponding policy of defense by the Democrats who are in power and who are responsible for the laws enacted by the first legislature. Aside from the issues involved, the campaign on the whole is spectacular in that it represents a party, absolutely shorn of convincing issues during the campaign of last year when the constitution was presented for adoption, and which was in power, through appointment, for 18 years under territorial government, seeking to regain a state lost to the Democrats by a majority of about 40,000. More lustre is added to the spectacle by the defense the Democrats are making of the actions of their leaders under statehood, who are responsible for both issues and men that have become national in their importance.

Oklahoma's constitution provides that the state officers shall be elected for a term of four years and that they shall not be eligible to immediately succeed themselves. Hence the state has no gubernatorial contest this year. United States Senator Thomas P. Gore, who drew the short term upon his induction into congress last year, is a candidate for re-election this year. The Republican nominee is Dennis Flynn, who was for a number of years delegate in congress from Oklahoma territory. Senator Gore has thus far lent practically all his time to the national Democratic committee, while Governor Haskell, in defense of the party's principles in the state, has canvassed a large party of the state in opposition to Flynn. The latter has in a large measure confined his speeches to attacks upon the state administration rather than the discussions of national issues.

Chief Justice Robert L. Williams of the state supreme court and Associate Justice Samuel B. Hayes, who drew short terms last year, and Corporation Commissioner A. P. Watson, a short term, are Democratic nominees for re-election. The Republicans have nominated Joseph A. Dickerson of Chickasha, former United States judge of the southern district of Indian territory for chief justice, while A. R. Reynolds of Atoka is that party's nominee for corporation commissioner. All members of the lower house of the legislature and half of the members of the state senate are to be elected this year.

**The Paramount Issues.**  
Paramount issues of the campaign are depositors' guaranty law, the principles of which form a plank in the national Democratic platform, the disposition of the state school lands and taxation. Only lukewarm support is given the first of these issues by the Republicans thus far, many Republican national bankers being in favor of the guaranty law. Extravagance is charged in the second of these issues. Under statehood the state has two million acres of school land and a school fund of \$6,000,000 to handle. A farm loan

department has been established by the school land commission and through loans and bank deposits the \$5,000,000 school fund appropriated by congress under the terms of the enabling act has been disposed of. An abundance of red tape necessarily is found in the school land department and thus avenues of attack have been discovered by the Republicans. The issue has gone so far as to be taken up by the national Republican committee and recently that committee issued a campaign document, in which it was charged that the school fund is being squandered by Democratic politicians.

## Taxation the Vulnerable Point.

But Oklahoma Republicans have found the matter of taxation the most vulnerable point of attack, for the humblest citizen can be reached with an argument involving that subject. The assessors and the state equalization board have determined that corporations shall pay a more just share of the taxes than under the territorial administration and all property has been assessed at its full valuation. Material for the Republican speakers has been found in the allegations that the state board has discriminated in favor of the farmer, his taxes having been lowered, against the business man and the corporation, whose taxes in many instances have been raised. However, the fact of Oklahoma being a new state, composed of two territories, which necessarily has brought additional burdens, responsibilities, offices and officers, is looked upon by both Republicans and Democrats of the conservative ideas as a proposition inevitable that must both diminish and decrease burdens.

## A Unique Commonwealth.

Oklahoma's unique constitution, its unique laws, and its unique governor have advertised it as a unique commonwealth which all the states of the nation are watching with interest. Mr. Bryan's approval of the constitution and some of the laws, and the appropriation by the national Democratic convention of the Oklahoma slogan, "Let the people rule," before the common eye. The selection of Governor C. N. Haskell as treasurer of the national campaign committee, the appropriation of the guaranty idea, the changing of the faculty of the state university in former Indian territory have become matters of national interest, some of them brought out in the discussions that have followed the Hearst disclosures.

The resignation of Governor Haskell from the national committee has resulted in three important moves in Oklahoma: the determination of the Independence party to make a fight for the state's electoral vote, a state-wide meeting of Democratic leaders, who adopted resolutions endorsing and commending Governor Haskell and bitterly denouncing President Roosevelt and W. R. Hearst and planning a systematic state-wide campaign, and a meeting of the chairmen of the several county Republican central committees, who adopted resolutions condemning Governor Haskell and planned for furthering the campaign. De-

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## FACSIMILE OF POSTCARD RECEIVED BY DENVER PRIESTS

Notice How the P R I E S T S are dying off?  
It's said by Typhoid: But nay:  
10 must D I E! to pay for ALLIE'S MURDER!  
Watch EM! Count

DENVER, Col., Oct. 12.—Typhoid fever has claimed its fourth victim at Sacred Heart college. So far Father C. Telson, Father J. P. Murray, Paul Lofry and Raymond Moore have died from what is diagnosed as typhoid fever. It will be remembered that much excitement was recently caused by the so-called plot against the Catholic clergy, which resulted in the assassination of Father Leo and the execution of Allie, his murderer.

The above postal card was received by Rev. J. A. Ryan, assistant to Father Ryan at St. Elizabeth's and its purport is very clear.

"This said by some to be typhoid fever. But nay, Ten must die to pay for Allie's murder. Watch 'em. Count."

This is thought by many to be the work of a crank inspired by the deaths at Sacred Heart college, but is construed by others to be a continuation of the alleged plot against the Denver Catholic priests.

## TO SPEND WEEK HUNTING DUCKS

Messrs. Leslie Kenney, Walter Haefner, and Charles Chaleir of Elgin, Ill., a cousin of Mr. Henney, left this morning for a week's hunting tour. They left for Goose Lake where they will hunt for a few days and then they intend to camp at Rice Lake for the rest of the week. Mr. Mossholder, with his launch Pearl will take the party to their hunting grounds.

## SLEW FAMILY, IS CAUGHT

SAN JOSE, Oct. 26.—Wm. Haefner, who is a cousin of being James Dunham, the alleged murderer of his entire family here in 1884, is in jail today, being brought from Sherman, Texas. Five thousand people waited at the station for the train on which he was expected. A lynching was feared and the train stopped outside the depot and the man hurried to jail in an auto. He maintains his innocence.

A girl who has spent three or four years in studying music, and can't play decently, should begin studying something else.

## SEÑOR AUGUSTA LEGUIA NEW PRESIDENT OF PERU



LIMA, Peru, Oct. 22.—Señor Augusta Leguia has just been elected president of Peru after a hard fight. Leguia is very popular with all classes and is thoroughly fitted for the office by years of public office experience. People here are watching with the utmost interest the

election in the United States for the government of Peru is based on that of Uncle Sam.



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taken always shows an increase in September!  
At this time the weather is ideal neither too warm nor too cool—the little ones are feeling well and happy, and we have our best opportunity for catching a bright, pleasant expression.  
Bring your children here today while the weather's fine, for a photo that you are sure to like.

**PRYOR 524 Main St.**

### MUSIC WAS A LEADING FEATURE

Considerable complimentary comment has been heard on the music given during the recent teachers' convention held in this city. The entire musical program was under the supervision of Miss Martha Rollins, instructor of music in the La Crosse public schools. During each program a musical number was given by the students of the different grades, ranging from pupils of the fourth grades to the students of the high school. The way the pieces were rendered shows that Miss Rollins has unusual competence in handling the teaching of music in public schools.  
The following is a complete musical program of the convention:  
Friday morning—Chorus of 150 voices from the seventh and eighth grades of the Sixth and Seventh districts. Three pieces were rendered by this chorus as follows: "Old Black Joe," "Song of the Night Watch," and "Loves Old Sweet Song."  
Friday afternoon—Rural section, 100 voices from the fourth grade of the First and Second districts: "In a Boat," "The Bee" and "The Daisies" were rendered.  
Friday afternoon—Graded section, 100 children from the sixth and seventh grades of the First and Third districts. The pieces given by this chorus were "In the Wood," and "Chrysanthemums."  
Friday evening the high school chorus proved to be the feature of the programs. The songs, "Who Is Sylvia," "The Heavens and the Earth Declare," and "By Babylon's Wave" were sung.

### TENTH WARD BEATEN

The Tenth ward team was defeated by the All Stars Saturday in a slow game by a score of 15 to 0. The field prevented any fast playing and it rained continually during the game.

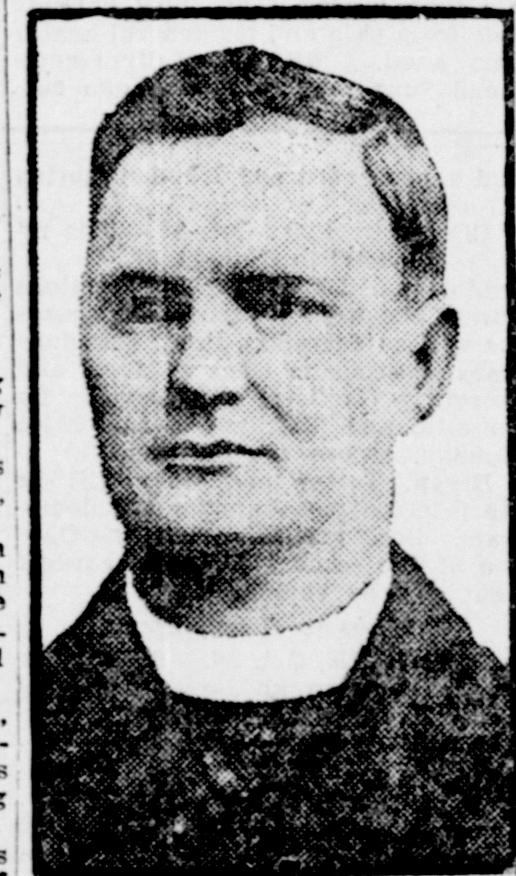
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## PERSONALS

**FORD—The Car of Quality.**  
Mr. Edward Conroy of Hale was in the city with a car load of rutabagas.  
Mr. W. S. Gilpin of Osseo was in the city this week as a United States court witness.  
Phone Gateway City Transfer Line for your next hack call. Phone 170.  
Mrs. Fred Shuman who has been visiting at the home of Miss Hazel Bigelow of Galesville, has returned.  
Miss Clara Hole of Coon Valley was visiting in the city yesterday.  
Miss J. Johnson of Mabel, Minn., was brought to the La Crosse hospital.  
Mr. E. Bartels of Tomah was in the city on business yesterday.  
Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.  
Mr. A. C. Erickson spent yesterday in West Salem.  
Mr. W. Burford of this city has opened an electric theater at West Salem in the old Veitz building.  
Matt Cramer spent Thursday in Cashton on business.  
Mr. Nels Costley of Adrian was in the city on business yesterday.  
John Farley of Tomah came to the city Friday to see the La Crosse-Sparta football game.  
Miss Mabel Anderson of Westby is visiting friends and relatives in the city for a few days.  
Mr. John Kern of Black River Falls came to this city in an automobile Thursday.  
Mrs. Mort Smith of Milwaukee is visiting friends in the city for a few days.  
Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.  
Mr. Hanson of Melrose was visiting friends on the North side for a few days.  
Miss Inga Larsen of Onalaska is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Brewman, of Charles street.  
When a woman wants to be in bed by ten o'clock she should begin Tolef Hietland of La Crosse Ridge was in the city today preparing to depart for his new home on Round Prairie, near Viroqua.  
Robert Klier and Frank M. Vogt, the musicians who gave an entertainment in the grill room at the Elks Saturday evening, leave this evening for Winona.  
Mrs. J. H. Johnson of Caledonia is the guest of Mrs. C. J. Johnson of this city.  
The esteem and regret most people have for you is both tedious and tasteless.  
Rev. E. H. Palechek of Chasburg visited friends in the city Saturday.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wheaton have returned from a visit with relatives at Caledonia.  
Judge Fruit returned home Saturday from Whitehall, where he held court last week.  
Born, to Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Hagensack, 816 South Sixteenth street, a daughter.  
Professor Frank M. Jack of River Falls who is a candidate for president for the new normal school here, is in the city attending the teachers' convention.  
And if the average woman gave voice only to her thoughts she would talk less.  
Mrs. E. Anna Briggs who has been the guest of Mrs. J. A. Goodrich, 208 South Seventh street, has returned to her home in New Lisbon.  
Frank Duchien, right fielder of the La Crosse baseball team, is visiting friends in the city for a few days.  
The seat sale for the "Road to Yesterday" opens tomorrow morning and indications are that Miss Dupree will play to a crowded house in her famous comedy Thursday evening. It is probable there will be many theater parties arranged for this performance, as the "Road to Yesterday" is said to be one of the very best productions which will visit La Crosse this season, and one of the "guaranteed" type of plays.  
J. O. Johnson of Spring Grove was a business caller in the city today.  
N. C. Gran of Spring Grove visited friends in the city over Sunday.  
Ole Jensen of Savana is a business visitor in the city this morning.  
Casper Hanson of Alexandria is calling on friends in the city this morning.  
The trouble with people who have common sense is they are deadly dull for lack of a little foolishness.  
Gust Wrobel of Stoddard is a business visitor in the city today.  
John Kroger of Viroqua is in town this morning calling on friends.  
August Reck of Stoddard is calling on business acquaintances in the city this morning.  
Thomas Amundson of Viroqua is a business caller in La Crosse today.  
J. E. Reid of Viroqua is visiting friends in the city for a short time.  
John Engelen of Viroqua is a business visitor in town this morning.  
Sever Johnson is renewing business acquaintances in the city today.  
Never try to make a man feel at home if you know him to be henpecked.

## LAME BACK AND RHEUMATIC PAINS

**Are Nature's Danger Signals.**  
The following prescription, while very simple and harmless, will be found to work wonders in curing lame back and all kinds of rheumatism, purifying the blood and kidneys and restoring the system to normal health and vigor. It is inexpensive considering its effectiveness, and can be mixed at home. The ingredients are well known and can be supplied by any well-stocked drug store:  
"One ounce Compound Syrup of Sarsaparilla; one ounce Toris Compound. These to be added to half pint of whiskey and used in tablespoonful doses before each meal and at bed time. The bottle must be shaken well each time."  
Good results from this treatment are apparent after the first few doses, although it would be a mistake to discontinue its use until the health is fully restored.



**REV. N. K. FIELDING**  
CHICAGO, Oct. 23.—Rev. N. K. Fielding, prominent among Roman Catholic divines of this city, was attacked in the vestibule of the Corpus Christi church by an Italian or Greek, apparently without provocation. It is thought this was part of a preconcerted plot against the Catholic priest of Chicago. Fr. Fielding escaped by a hair's breadth, as the assassin's bullet grazed his temple and was fired from within three feet of the priest. Only his quick movement prevented a murder such as occurred in St. Louis a short time ago.

Trusts and monopolies are similar, yet different. A girl can monopolize a young man without trusting him.

## SOCIETY

**Y. W. C. A. NOTES.**  
A delightful party was given at the can factory Saturday evening under the supervision of the extension committee of the Young Women's Christian association.

The large hall with cheerful fireplace was most inviting. As the girls entered they were invited into some group which acted charades, while the others guessed the word which was pantomimed.

Miss Dickens and Miss Davis recited, and Miss Erickson gave an exhibition of club swinging. Various games were played, after which about fifty girls were seated at the long tables provided near the cozy fire as they partook of ice cream and cake. An interesting talk was given at the vesper service Sunday afternoon by Miss Mix, a lecturer of W. C. T. U.

Sewing class and Bible class at 7:30 this evening.

Glee club and English Tuesday, at 7:30 p. m.

A Halloween party will be given Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. All young women are invited.

The millinery and cooking classes will meet at 7:15 Thursday evening. Friday, Mrs. Ames will give her last talk on home nursing; subject, Our One Inheritance.

**PLEASANTLY SURPRISED**  
The Misses Rose and Tressie Langel of 129 Mill street, were very pleasantly surprised Saturday evening by a number of their friends. The evening was spent in a social manner with music, games and dancing, while a very toothsome lunch was served at a late hour. All reported a very good time. Miss Tressie Langel has recently returned from a four months' visit in Europe.

**SURPRISES.**  
Mr. and Mrs. Fred F. Forbes of 2005 King street were pleasantly surprised Saturday evening by friends and relatives, the occasion being the tenth anniversary of their marriage. They were showered with tin ware, each guest bringing some useful article. The ladies brought baskets filled with good things to eat and a delicious lunch was served. The evening was spent in playing five hundred.

Several selections were rendered on the violin and piano by the Misses Forbes and Miss Emily Krueger. Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames B. Frank Forbes, J. W. Forbes, Miss Anna Forbes, Mrs. L. Menger, the Misses Winifred, Carroll, Stella, Irene, Ella, Grace, Martha Elizabeth, and Donald and Fred Forbes, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Fred Forbes and Miss Emily Krueger.

A number of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Lensky swooped down upon them at their home on La Crosse street and gave them a pleasant surprise. The hostess was presented with a handsome present by the guests. Music, refreshments and games furnished a delightful evening.

ing. The party wound up with a dance. There were about thirty present.

A pleasant surprise party was given Charles Turner, of 212 Rose street, in honor of his 22nd birthday. Games were enjoyed during the evening and delicious refreshments were served. Mr. Haskins furnished some delightful music.

### DINNER AT THE STODDARD.

Messrs. J. P. Walker, postoffice inspector, and H. H. Morgan, assistant United States attorney of Madison, entertained the officials of the federal court at a dinner at the Stoddard Sunday evening. Those present were W. G. Wheeler, United States attorney of Janesville; Judge Sanborn, Madison; Rochell Flint, United States marshal, Madison; Mr. John Kelly, Jr., deputy United States marshal, and wife, Madison; Mr. E. E. Fraser, postoffice inspector; Mrs. Fraser and the Misses Harriet and Effie Fraser, La Crosse; Miss Bee Warnes, clerk of United States attorney, Madison; Mr. Carl, assistant postoffice clerk, Madison; Mr. Tarmenter, Prairie du Sac; Mr. Roland Lybrand, P. P., Richland Center, and Mr. James Sexton, deputy fire inspector, Madison.

### DUTCH LUNCH.

Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Fraser and the Misses Fraser entertained the same party and a few other guests at a Dutch lunch at their home on Seventh street. Other guests who were present were Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Tscharnier, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Looney and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Fraser. It was a very informal and pleasant occasion.

### SOCIAL BRIEFS.

Mrs. Fanny Hudson has returned from a three weeks' visit with friends in Chicago.

Miss Harriet Fraser will leave on Wednesday for her home at Detroit, Mich.

Mrs. E. A. Gatterdam will entertain the Ladies' society of the First Presbyterian church at supper at her home Thursday.

### Disobedient.



Mamma Fish—Well, well! And I told that boy not to leave the yard.

An ounce of prevention is also worth a pound of remorse.

## CITY NEWS

**FUNERAL OF JOHN BRASDA**  
The funeral of John Brasda was held at 10 o'clock this morning from the St. Joseph's Ridge Catholic cemetery. The interment was made in the Catholic cemetery at St. Joseph's Ridge.

**RAIN STOPS PLAY**—The rain stopped the play between the chosen sides who were playing for the harvest supper to be held at the finish of the season. The supper was given anyway, and about 25 members were present.

### ENTERTAINMENT AT Y.M.C.A. WEDNESDAY

The Young People's Society of the Norwegian church will give an entertainment at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium Wednesday evening, Oct. 28th, at which Miss Ethel Oleson, reader and impersonator, Miss Eleanor Olson, contralto, and Miss Walden, pianist, will appear. These entertainers possess rare ability and an excellent entertainment is bound to be enjoyed by those present.

Following from the St. Paul dispatch shows the pleasing impression made by these entertainers in St. Paul:

A warm welcome was offered the contralto, Miss Eleanor Olson, whose full and even scale, warm and luscious tones and artistic ideals made her contributions to the program unqualified pleasures. She sang "My Heart at Thy Sweet Voice," from "Samson and Delilah," with fine phrasing and expression, and in Becker's "Fruehlingszeit" revealed herself an artist of sufficient temperament and grace. Two Norwegian songs were sung in excellent style, and in Roma's "Separation," for which Mr. Skogard played an obligato, there was a remarkable sympathy between the tone of the Stradivarius and that of the cello-like contralto. Miss Olson made, indeed, a pleasing impression, her appeal being quite broad enough to include the cultivated palate and the popular taste.—St. Paul Dispatch.

The demagogue never troubles himself about the absurdity of his position. He knows that his followers listen but never reason.

One of the funniest things we know of is the manner in which a young man drops out of a social world when he gets married.

It sometimes happens that a street fight reminds a married man that there are other places like home.

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### PLAY FOR DINNER.

Music was furnished during the Sunday dinner at the Hotel La Crosse yesterday by Messrs. Robert Klier and Frank M. Vogt, musicians of some reputation. A number of selections were rendered and the various selections elicited much praise. A musical entertainment was also put on at the Elks' club Saturday night by the same team.

Nearly every man you meet should have his clothes cleaned.



# S.S.S. THE CURE FOR SCROFULA

Swollen glands about the neck, weak eyes, pale, waxy complexions, running sores and ulcers, skin diseases, and general poor health, are the usual ways in which Scrofula is manifested. The disease being deeply entrenched in the blood often attacks the bones, resulting in White Swelling, or hip disease, and the scrofulous and tubercular matter so thoroughly destroys the healthful properties of the blood that Scrofula sometimes terminates in consumption, an incurable disease. The entire circulation being contaminated, the only way to cure the trouble is to thoroughly purify the blood and restore the circulation to a strong, healthy state. S. S. S. is the very best treatment for Scrofula; it renovates the entire blood supply and drives out the scrofulous and tubercular deposits. S. S. S. is the greatest of all blood purifiers, and it not only goes right down to the very bottom of the trouble and removes the cause, but it supplies the weak, diseased blood with the healthful properties it is in need of, and in this way builds up weak, frail, scrofulous persons and makes them strong and healthy. S. S. S. is a gentle, safe, vegetable preparation and is suited for persons of any age. Book on the blood containing information about Scrofula and any medical advice free.

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## CONDENSED STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

## STATE BANK OF LA CROSSE

LA CROSSE, WISCONSIN.

At the Close of Business, Sept. 23, 1908.

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans .....	Capital stock .....
Overdrafts .....	Surplus .....
U. S. and other bonds .....	Undivided profits .....
and securities .....	Deposits .....
Banking house and fixtures .....	
in reserve .....	
banks .....	
Cash in vault .....	
Total .....	Total .....

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## Miss Estelle Solon, Soprano In Song Recital

Assisted by Prof. J. Reuter, Violinist and Prof. Chas Weiss, Pianist, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A.

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### CITY'S FINANCIAL CONDITION

Present Bonded Indebtedness Only About Half of the City's Bond Limit

At 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, \$16,000 of water extension bonds will be offered for sale in the office of the city clerk. This sale is the occasion for the drawing up of a financial statement by City Comptroller of the city's finances. This statement is as follows:

Bonded Indebtedness.	
Water .....	\$185,000.00
Viaduct and bridge .....	15,000.00
Schools .....	90,000.00
Engine house and fire engine .....	20,000.00
City hall .....	9,000.00
Sewers .....	62,000.00
Permanent street improvements .....	70,000.00
High school .....	170,000.00
Refunding .....	131,000.00
	\$ 767,000.00
Sinking fund .....	228,773.34

Net bonded indebtedness .....

### CAMPAIGN CLOSE IN HOT EXCHANGE

(Continued from Page One.)

George W. Alger's book, "The Moral Overstrain." The president has distributed copies of that book to judges, labor leaders and others, and now earnestly wishes Gompers may read this same Alger's admirable article on "Taft and Labor" in McClure's magazine for September. It is the most effective exposure of Gompers' position that has been produced. Ever since its appearance the president has been in close touch with Alger in this whole injunction matter."

**Roosevelt Defends Taft.**  
WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 26.—President Roosevelt, in a letter made public today, tells why laboring men should vote for Taft.

The letter was written Oct. 19 to P. H. Grace, financier of Parlor City lodge No. 36 of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen of Binghamton, N. Y.

Mr. Grace had written to Mr. Roosevelt asking for his views as to how the railroad men could best serve their own interests at the election in view of the fact that, as he said, "on one side the papers and speeches assert that Mr. Taft is the father of injunctions in labor disputes and the enemy of the working men. On the other side it is declared that Mr. Taft has recognized the right of labor and has in fact been and now is friendly to the best interests of organized labor."

The president prepared his views as to Mr. Taft's fitness to serve the labor element from knowledge of the candidate's record and wrote a letter in which he credits Taft with a recent decision of a Chicago court upholding the right of unions to establish pickets, exhibited the decisions of Taft revolutionizing judicial procedure in employers' injury suits, and reviewing the economic progress under the present administration which he says will be continued under Taft "and brought to ruin if Bryan is elected."

**Sherman Land Graft?**  
NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—In a 13 column story, embellished with correspondence, the World this morning endeavors to establish the fact that James S. Sherman was a party to the venture contemplating taking over a vast tract of New Mexico timber land in 1901 at a mere fraction of its value. As the basis for the article, the World prints a letter to Edmund Burke, of Los Angeles, purporting to confess the writer's personal interest in the transaction, and warning the candidate of his intended exposure. The facsimile styles Burke as attorney in federal and international cases with offices in Washington, London and the City of Mexico. The original letter was dated Aug. 9, 1908, at Los Angeles.

**Burke Never Did.**  
LOS ANGELES, Oct. 26.—Edmund Burke, who was credited by the New York World this morning as giving a statement involving James S. Sherman in a questionable land deal in New Mexico, said today: "I denounce as absolutely untrue the statement that the story was dictated by me at Denver in the presence of former Senator Patterson, former Gov. Osborne of Wyoming, and W. J. Thomas. I never gave such a statement to any one at any time. In 1901 and 1902, I was associated with Sherman in the Mexico Land Development company. We secured certain options on timber lands in Mexico and the matter was finally abandoned. I have no papers relating to that matter and not knowing what has been published, therefore, I can make no extended reply. The full proceedings were open

## KAST HAS LEFT BUT RHEUMALINE REMAINS

Kast, the Rheumaline man, has left La Crosse and with him he has taken the best wishes of all who knew him.

His ready sympathy and quick insight into one's afflictions will long remain in the minds of La Crosse people as will the remedy. Rheumaline has certainly worked wonders here since its introduction nine weeks ago, and we are glad to announce that its sale will continue indefinitely at Hoessler's drug stores.

Mr. Zeighan of 1507 Fairwell street is only one of thousands that have been benefited by the Rheumaline Remedies. He says:

The Rheumaline Co., Cincinnati, O.: Gentlemen—I have taken your Rheumaline Remedies with very good results. I have had rheumatism for four years and have just finished my fourth bottle of Rheumaline. I am glad to say I am now entirely free from pain and my general health very good. I will cheerfully recommend your remedy to any one suffering with rheumatism.

and above board and I had forgotten all about it."

**"Bob" in Ohio Fight.**

COLUMBUS, O., Oct. 26.—The republicans will hold over 100 meetings during the week. Among the speakers will be Secretary Root, Secretary Knox, Postmaster General Meyer and Secretary Garfield, and Senator La Follette, and Taft will speak twice Monday, before the election.

Bryan, Towne and Gore will be the principal speakers for the democrats. Both parties are making Ohio one of the centers for the hardest fight of the campaign.

**Masses to Hear Bryan.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Bryan took the trolley through Jersey City this morning, and then took a long auto ride to keep his engagement at Patterson to speak on the labor question. He returned to New York, where he addressed the Woman's Democratic club at the Waldorf Astoria this afternoon. He will make a trolley trip to West Chester county. There will be three big meetings in Manhattan tonight.

Anticipating the enormous crowds at the Bryan meetings tonight, more than 800 police have been ordered to Madison Square Garden vicinity to hold the crowds.

**Last Lap in Indiana.**

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 26.—In a whirlwind campaign which ends the pre-election activity in Indiana, Beveridge on a special leads the republican spell binders. Kern on another is doing the big end of the work of the democrats. Both trains carry speakers who will be dropped at various towns as the trains pass.

**A Sermon in Politics.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Politicians and the people generally today are discussing the sermon by Rev. John Holmes regarding "Taft's Unitarianism." He declared the United States had four Unitarian presidents: Jefferson, John Adams, John Quincy Adams and Fillmore. He said Lincoln had accepted the faith though not a member of the church.

**Y. M. C. A. Boys to Vote.**

CLEVELAND, O., Oct. 26.—Six thousand members of the boys' department of the Y. M. C. A. will vote for their preference for the presidency of the United States tomorrow. They will use the election booths and the regular election conditions.

**Exclusionists Non-Partisan.**

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 26.—Amid a turbulent meeting the Asiatic Exclusion league adopted a resolution declaring its non-partisanship, and leaving its members to have the league endorse Bryan and the democratic candidates for congress.

**Bryan Four Days in New York.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Both Mr. Taft and Mr. Bryan are in this city. All the forces the democratic national committee can summon will be brought to bear to secure the electoral vote of New York state for William Jennings Bryan. Led by the presidential candidate himself, who will speak four days in this state, an army of speakers will be sent into every county and town.

Tammany hall has planned to make the Madison Square meeting the greatest demonstration given the candidate in this campaign and red fire will burn and bands play in every assembly district on Manhattan island tomorrow night. Among the leading speakers in New York state for the week will be former Judge

fering with rheumatism.

WM. ZEIGHAN.

Write Mr. Zeighan, that is your privilege, and will only force home the honesty of our statements. Unlike other so-called Rheumatism cures, you contract no bad habits whatever. They are not injurious to the stomach but on the other hand, they only add it in its work. Rheumaline builds up the system and positively cures Rheumatism, Sciatica, Lumbago, Neuralgia, Gout and any troubles arising from Uric Acid in the kidneys, Liver, Stomach or Blood, as it is a perfect uric acid solvent. Certain cure from its use is guaranteed and a trial will convince. The longer you wait, the worse off you are, so go today. Go now, to the sale at Hoessler's drug stores at \$1.00 per bottle. Rheumaline capsules sell for 50c per box. Rheumaline (a liquid) Rheumaline capsules compose the Rheumaline treatment and should be taken together. Remember the name "Rheumaline."

## DONNERSTAGS SAW OUT OF BASTILE

BROTHERS ACCUSED OF COUNTERFEITING ESCAPE

WORD RECEIVED HERE TODAY

Jail Breaking Follows Return of Indictments by Grand Jury Sitting in U. S. Court Here

Albert, Hugo and Rudolph Donnerstag, three brothers, against whom indictments have just been returned by the grand jury sitting in La Crosse, charging counterfeiting at Rhineland, broke jail at Madison last night.

They cut an inch steel bar with a saw made out of a bed slat, leaving an opening seven and one-eighths by 12 inches. They lowered themselves to the ground from the third story window by means of ropes made out of the blankets provided for their beds.

The court authorities here have taken up an immediate chase for the crooks, but there seems to be small hope of apprehending them.

Alton B. Parker, John Sharp Williams, Senator Bacon of Georgia, Gov. Hoke Smith of Georgia, Gov. J. H. Higgins of Rhode Island, and Gov. Ansel of South Carolina

**Taft Mass Meetings in New York.**

The republican windup of the campaign in New York City calls for twenty-two mass meetings to be addressed by speakers of national reputation; a parade of the republican clubs of Greater New York and a big parade of the Business Men's Republican association. The big event of the week will be at Madison Square Garden Wednesday night, at which Mr. Taft and Gov. Hughes will be the principal speakers. The other speakers will be Senator William Alden Smith of Michigan, George A. Knight of California, and United States District Attorney H. A. Atwood of Chicago. Gen. Horace Porter will preside. Mr. Taft and Gov. Hughes will address four noonday meetings on Oct. 28.

**Deneen vs. Stevenson.**

CHICAGO, Oct. 26.—The last week of the campaign in Illinois opened with great activity on the part of the state candidates. Deneen and Stevenson are both in Chicago, and each will make three speeches at the same time here tonight.

**Taft in Panic Talk.**

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Oct. 26.—The Yale Taft club greeted the candidate at the depot this afternoon, who addressed a throng at the armory building. In a drenching rain, Taft, in an automobile without an umbrella and hatless, bowed to the crowds enroute to the armory. Gov. Woodruff introduced Taft. The platform contained Congressman Lillie, candidate for governor, John Hayes Hammond and other leaders. Taft was presented with congratulatory resolutions from the faculty and students of Yale.

At Stamford, Taft declared that Bryan had been the forerunner of prosperity by being beaten and hoped that he would bring prosperity this year by defeat. In speeches today at Hartford and Stamford, he requested votes on the ground that the election of Bryan meant panic.

**Bell in California.**

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 26.—Theo. A. Bell, temporary chairman of the Denver convention, with James D. Phelan, ex-mayor of San Francisco, and democratic orators, started on a special train for a tour of this state, which they claim is doubtful.

**Lincoln Scrimmage.**

LINCOLN, Oct. 26.—State Democratic Chairman Allen, Bryan's brother-in-law, forwarded to Washington charges of offensive political partisanship against Postmaster John R. Hayes, of Norfolk, Neb. Allen accuses Hayes of withholding copies of Herman Ridder's papers on the arbitrary claim that the paper was a campaign document. Allen demands Hayes' removal.

**W. C. T. U. SHOWS GROWTH.**

DENVER, Oct. 26.—The W. C. T. U. national convention session today was given over to addresses of organizers, showing the progress made by unions in the last year.

## JOHN BERRY IS GIVEN NEW START

AGED PRISONER'S WIFE SENDS MONEY FROM LONDON

TRUNKS ARE SOLD FOR DEBT

Dr. Guyton Disposes of Old Man's Belongings and He Is Given Liberty Today

Perhaps the final chapter in the tragic life story of John Berry, so far as La Crosse is concerned, was enacted today when the venerable insurance agent and former London bank clerk was given a ticket to Chicago, and advice to leave the city.

The release of Berry from the county jail was due to the efforts of Dr. Guyton, who secured two of his trunks from St. Paul and sold the contents to satisfy local creditors.

He also received a remittance of \$15 from the wife of Berry, who lives in England, with a promise to send \$15 more to settle up the shortage of the old man. He consequently left for the windy city, and while he was practically penniless, it is presumed he will eventually work his way back to England to join his family.

Berry is the man who wrote checks in the Security bank for more money than he had deposited, claiming when arrested that he intended to make up the overdraft. The fact that he sent some money to the bank convinced the authorities his intentions were not dishonest, and he was merely held until arrangements were made to make up the discrepancy.

## VOTE ON GOOD ROADS NOV. 3RD

County Clerk Charles H. Rawlinson is in receipt of a letter from Secretary of State James A. Frear requesting him to secure the publication of matter calculated to bring to the attention of voters the significance of four constitutional amendments that will be voted on at the general election. The most important of these is to secure state aid for county roads. Another is for a state income tax, one for an extension of from 3 to 6 days as the time allowed the governor in which to approve or veto bills, and the fourth that in order to vote one must be a full citizen of the United States.

Secretary Frear points out that there is no state or county law under which the payment for publication of such matter is authorized, and he urges county clerks to solicit the aid of county committees in securing its publication, or to appeal to the newspapers to do the work gratis.

**RING ALARM, THEN EXTINGUISHED FIRE**

Departments Nos. 1 and 3 were called out about 11 o'clock this morning by an alarm from Box 15, at Segelke & Kohlhauser, sash and door factory, and when they arrived they were unable to find any fire. The alarm had been turned in on the second floor in the paint shop, where an employee had dropped a match on the floor and a small blaze was started. With considerable presence of mind he turned in the alarm and then devoted his efforts to putting out the fire which was quickly extinguished. When the department came everything was going on as if nothing had happened.

**CAROLINE GRANKE DIES AT 63 YEARS**

Caroline, the wife of Fred Granke, died last night at 12:30 after a lingering illness, at the age of 63 years. She leaves a husband, five daughters, two sons, and one brother, Louis May, proprietor of the Hammock works.

The funeral will be held Wednesday at 2 o'clock from the house and at 2:30 from the German Lutheran church, Rev. Julius Gamm officiating. The body will be laid at rest in Oak Grove cemetery, with Mrs. Theodore Mannstadt in charge of the arrangements.

**ARGUE WICKS CASE; UNDIRECTED VERDICT**

Motion to direct a verdict in favor of the defendant in the case of Nels Wick vs. the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha railroad in the United States court this afternoon, was denied and the case is being argued before the jury.

Frank A. Bigelow was discharged from bankruptcy by the U. S. court today.

**SHERMAN'S NAME ON THE BALLOT**

A change has been made necessary in the official ballots which are now being printed, by receipt of word from the secretary of state authorizing the insertion of the name of Charles E. Sherman, as prohibition candidate for register of deeds, the regular nominee refusing to be a candidate.

**TOMORROW IS REGISTRATION DAY**

Tomorrow is registration day and it will be the last chance to register before election, a week from tomorrow. The voting booths will be open from 9 a. m. to 8 p. m.

**WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT**

Mr. and Mrs. N. Giles, 1225 Farnham street, announce the wedding of

their daughter, Miss Emma, on November 11th, to Arthur A. Graef, one of the proprietors of the La Crosse Hat works. Both of the young people are popular in the city.

SHOT BY LOVER.

PUEBLO, Col., Oct. 26.—Miss Elizabeth Jones, a divorcee, was shot and killed today by Edward Hager, her suitor, who was jealous of another man's attentions.

## ELECTION NOTICE

Office of County Clerk.

La Crosse, Wis., Oct. 28, 1908.

To the electors of La Crosse County. Notice is hereby given that a general election is to be held in the several towns, wards and election precincts in the county of La Crosse on the 3rd day of November, 1908, at which the officers named below are to be chosen. The names of the candidates for each office to be voted for, whose nominations have been certified to this office, are given opposite the title of the office and under the appropriate party or other designation, each in its proper column, and the questions submitted to a vote are stated below.

**Information to Voters.**

The following instructions are given for the information and guidance of voters: (a) A voter upon entering the polling place and giving his name and residence, will receive a ballot from the ballot clerk which must have endorsed thereon the names or initials of both ballot clerks, and no other ballot can be used. Upon receiving his ballot, the voter must retire alone to a booth or compartment and prepare the same for voting. A ballot clerk may inform the voter as to the proper manner of marking a ballot, but must not advise or indicate in any manner whom to vote for.

(b) If a voter wishes to vote for all the candidates nominated by any party he shall make a cross or other mark under the party designation printed at the top of the ballot in the circle made for that purpose. A ballot so marked and having no other mark will be counted for all the candidates of that party in the column underneath, unless the names of some of the candidates of the party have been erased or a name shall be written in or a cross mark be placed in the square at the right of the names of candidates in another column. If the voter does not wish to vote for all the candidates nominated by one party, he shall mark his ballot by making a cross or mark in the square at the right of the name of the candidate for whom he intends to vote or by inserting or writing in the name of the candidate.

(c) A voter may vote for a entire group of candidates for presidential electors by making a cross (X) or mark in the square at the right of the names of candidates for president and vice president whose names appear in the column above the names of the candidates for presidential electors, or he may vote for the candidates for presidential electors by making a cross (X) or mark in the square at the right of the name of each candidate for whom he wishes to vote. If a voter does not wish to vote for any one or more candidates for presidential electors in the group, he may erase the name of such candidate or candidates and the cross (X) or mark at the right of the names of the candidates for president and vice president shall count as a vote for each of the other candidates for presidential electors in such group whose names are not erased. If a voter wishes to vote for another person in place of a candidate whose name he has erased he may insert or write in the name of each such person in one of the spaces in the blank column at the right of the ticket. If a voter does not wish to vote for any candidates for president or vice president or for any presidential electors, whose names appear upon the ballot, he may insert or write in the names of the candidates for president and vice president, and presidential electors to a number equal to the number of electors to be elected, in the appropriate spaces in the blank column at the right of the ballot.

(d) A voter may vote upon a question submitted to a vote of the people by marking a cross (X) or mark in the square at the right of the answer which he intends to give.

(e) The ballot should not be marked in any other manner. If the ballot is spoiled, it must be returned to the ballot clerk, who must issue another in its place, but not more than three in all shall be issued to any one voter. Five minutes' time is allowed in booth to mark ballot. Unofficial ballots or memorandums to assist the voter in marking his ballot can be taken into the booth, and may be used to copy from. The ballot must not be shown so that any person can see how it has been marked by the voter.

(f) After it is marked it should be folded so that the inside cannot be seen, but so that the printed endorsements and signatures of the ballot clerks on the outside may be seen. Then the voter should pass out of the booth or compartment, give his name to the inspector in charge of the ballot box, and his ballot in its place in the box, and pass out of the voting place.

(g) A voter, who declares to the presiding officer that he is unable to read, or that by reason of physical disability he is unable to mark his ballot, can have assistance of one or two election officers in marking same, to be chosen by the voter, and if he declares that he is totally blind, he may be assisted by any person chosen by him from among the legal voters of the county. The presiding officer may administer an oath in his discretion as to such person's disability.

(h) The party designations and candidates for the different offices are for example, as follows:

C. H. RAWLINSON,  
County Clerk



# SAMPLE OFFICIAL BALLOT.

If you desire to vote an entire party ticket for state, congressional, legislative and county offices and presidential electors, make a cross (X) or other mark in the circle (O) under the party designation at the head of the ballot. If you desire to vote for any particular person without regard to party; mark in the square at the right of the name of the candidate for whom you desire to vote if it be there, or write any name that you wish to vote for, in the proper place. If you desire to vote for state, congressional, legislative and county offices of one party and presidential electors of another party, make a cross (X) or other mark in the circle (O) at the head of the party ticket and also make a cross (X) or other mark in the square at the right of the names of the candidates for president and vice-president, you desire to vote for.

Democrat	Prohibition	Republican	Social Democrat	Independent	Independent
For Governor— JOHN A. AYLWARD	For Governor— WINFRED DOUGLAS COX	For Governor— JAMES O. DAVIDSON	For Governor— HARVEY DEE BROWN	For Governor— HERMAN BOTTEMA Socialist Labor Party	
Lieutenant Governor— BURT WILLIAMS	Lieutenant Governor— CHARLES H. FORWARD	Lieutenant Governor— JOHN STRANGE	Lieutenant Governor— CHESTER M. WRIGHT	Lieutenant Governor— ALBERT WAUGH Socialist Labor Party	
Secretary of State— FRANK B. SCHUTZ	Secretary of State— LINUS HELM PARK	Secretary of State— JAMES A. FREAR	Secretary of State— JOHN G. IRWIN	Secretary of State— JOHN VERTHALER Socialist Labor Party	
State Treasurer— GEORGE T. HESLIN	State Treasurer— WALDEMAR AGER	State Treasurer— ANDREW H. DAHL	State Treasurer— HENRY M. PARKS		
Attorney General— EVAN A. EVANS	Attorney General— JABEZ BURRITT SMITH	Attorney General— FRANK L. GILBERT	Attorney General— HORACE B. WALMSLEY		
Commissioner of Insurance— WILLIAM GUILLIAUME	Commissioner of Insurance— DAVID WALDON EMERSON	Commissioner of Insurance— GEORGE E. BEEDLE	Commissioner of Insurance— HERMAN W. BISTORIOUS	Commissioner of Insurance— THEODOR HORN Socialist Labor Party	
Member of Congress 7th Dist.— BERNARD F. KEELER	Member of Congress 7th Dist.—	Member of Congress 7th Dist.— JOHN J. ESCH	Member of Congress 7th Dist.— WM. GRAY		
State Senator—	State Senator—	State Senator— THOMAS MORRIS	State Senator—	State Senator— PETER GULLICKSON Democrat "Nomination Paper"	
Member of Assembly 1st Dist.— JAMES T. DAY	Member of Assembly 1st Dist.— EARL G. STATTS	Member of Assembly 1st Dist.— JOHN E. McCONNELL	Member of Assembly 1st Dist.—		
Member of Assembly 2nd Dist.— E. J. KNEEN	Member of Assembly 2nd Dist.— MARTIN C. CASBERG	Member of Assembly 2nd Dist.— VALENTINE S. KEPPEL	Member of Assembly 2nd Dist.—		
County Clerk— ROBERT W. GIFFORD	County Clerk— OLIVER NEEDHAM	County Clerk— CHARLES H. RAWLINSON	County Clerk—		
County Treasurer— JAMES H. McHUGH	County Treasurer— THEODORE SIDENSOL	County Treasurer— WILLIAM WEIMAR	County Treasurer—		
Sheriff— JOHN MOHR	Sheriff— ELLIS R. FRANK	Sheriff— WILLIAM DUNCAN	Sheriff—		
Coroner— LOUIS B. OMERBERG	Coroner— ANDREW E. SMITH	Coroner— LEONARD KLEEGER	Coroner—		
Clerk of Circuit Court— THEODORE J. RITTER	Clerk of Circuit Court— EUGENE HOM	Clerk of Circuit Court— RUSSEL D. SMITH	Clerk of Circuit Court—		
District Attorney— CLARK L. HOOD	District Attorney—	District Attorney— JAMES THOMPSON	District Attorney—		
Register of Deeds— EDWARD SCHEUFLE	Register of Deeds—	Register of Deeds— FRANK H. AIKEN	Register of Deeds—		
Surveyor— CHARLES M. JARVIS	Surveyor— WILLIAM VAN LOON	Surveyor— GEORGE P. BRADISH	Surveyor—		
For President— WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN	For President— EUGENE W. CHAFFIN	For President— WILLIAM H. TAFT	For President— E. V. DEBS	For President— AUGUST GILLHAUS Socialist Labor Party	For President—
For Vice-President— JOHN WORTH KERN	For Vice-President— AARON F. WATKINS	For Vice-President— JAMES S. SHERMAN	For Vice-President— BEN HANFORD	For Vice-President— DONALD R. MUNROE Socialist Labor Party	For Vice-President—
<b>Democrat</b>	<b>Prohibition</b>	<b>Republican</b>	<b>Social Democrat</b>	<b>Independent</b>	<b>Independent</b>
Electors of President and Vice-President.	Electors of President and Vice-President.	Electors of President and Vice-President.	Electors of President and Vice-President.	Electors of President and Vice-President.	Electors of President and Vice-President.
ERNEST C. ZIMMERMAN	OLAV REPSDAL	WILLIAM C. BRUMDER	F. W. HAMMOND	FRED BARTSCH Socialist Labor Party	
ADOLPH J. SCHMITZ	LINCOLN ABRAHAM	JOHN DENGLE	WALTER RAMSTACK	FRED KREMER Socialist Labor Party	
GILBERT T. HODGES	TRUMAN T. PARKER	FRANK M. DURKEE	ARNE PETERSON	CARL SCHULZ Socialist Labor Party	
W. S. HENRY	WILL E. MACK	C. F. GREENWOOD	HENRY DUNHAM	HENRY BOLL Socialist Labor Party	
EDWARD L. LUCKOW	RICHARD B. GRIGGS	ROBERT H. DE LAP	JULIUS CRARY		
JOHN TOOHEY	WILLIAM R. NETHERCUT	JOHN M. BEFFEL	FRANK METCALF		
EDWARD C. WALL	MORITZ A. SCHMOYER	JOHN A. STOLPER	ROBERT SEIDEL		
PATRICK O'MEARA	DYER WALTERS	WILLIAM KOHL	JOHN C. BOLL		
EMIL WITZACK	CHARLES L. ALLEN	W. T. SARLES	JOSEPH PAUL		
FRANK J. EGERER	JOHN W. EVANS	FLORIAN LAMPERT	MARTIN GEORGENSON		
PHILIP SHERIDAN	CHARLES W. LOMAS	HERBERT L. PETERSON	J. E. HARRIS		
THOS. H. RYAN	GEORGE W. WILSON	D. E. RIORDAN	C. I. SANDQUIST		
THOMAS EMMERTON	HENRY JORGENSON	O. K. HAWLEY	C. W. STAPLES		

Proposed amendment to section 10, article VIII of the constitution, relating to internal improvement.—"Resolved by the senate, the assembly concurring. That section 10, of article VIII, of the constitution be amended by adding at the end thereof the following: Provided that the state may appropriate money in the treasury or to be thereafter raised by taxation for the construction or improvement of public highways."

For the amendment providing for state aid in the construction or improvement of public highways.

YES ☐ NO ☐

Proposed amendment to section 1 of article VIII of the constitution.—3. Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring. That section 1 of article 8 of the constitution of the state of Wisconsin be amended by adding at the end thereof the following: "Taxes may also be imposed on incomes, privileges and occupations, which taxes may be graduated and progressive, and reasonable exemptions may be provided," so that when so amended said section shall read as follows: "Section 1. The rule of taxation shall be uniform, and taxes shall be levied upon such property as the legislature shall prescribe. Taxes may also be imposed on incomes, privileges and occupations, which taxes may be graduated and progressive, and reasonable exemptions may be provided."

For the amendment authorizing a graduated income tax.

YES ☐ NO ☐

Proposed amendment to section 10 of article V, of the constitution.—2. Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring. That section 10 of article 5 of the constitution be amended by striking out the word "three" in line thirteen and inserting in lieu thereof the word "six" so that when so amended said section shall read as follows: Section 10. Every bill which shall have passed the legislature shall, before it becomes a law, be presented to the governor; if he approve, he shall sign it, but if he shall return it, with his objections to that house in which it shall have originated, who shall enter the objections at large upon the journal and proceed to reconsider it. If, after such reconsideration, two-thirds of the members present shall agree to pass the bill, it shall be sent, together with the objections, to the other house, by which it shall likewise be reconsidered, and if approved by two-thirds of the members present it shall become a law. But in all cases the votes of both houses shall be determined by yeas and nays, and the names of the members voting for or against the bill shall be entered on the journal of each house respectively. If any bill shall not be returned by the governor within six days (Sunday excepted) after it shall have been presented to him, the same shall be a law unless the legislature shall by their adjournment, prevent its return, in which case it shall not be a law.

For the amendment extending from three to six days the time allowed the governor in which to approve bills.

YES ☐ NO ☐

Proposed amendment to sub-section 2 of article III of the constitution.—4. Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring. That sub-section 2 of section 1 of article 3, of the constitution of the state of Wisconsin, be amended so as to read as follows: 2. Persons of foreign birth, who, prior to the first day of December, A. D. 1908, shall have declared their intentions to become citizens conformable to the laws of the United States on the subject of naturalization, provided that the rights hereby granted to such persons shall cease on the first day of December, A. D. 1912.

For the amendment providing that after December 1st, 1912, electors shall be citizens of the United States.

YES ☐ NO ☐

[If you wish to vote for the amendment, make a cross in the square under the word "Yes;" if against it, make a cross under the word "No."]

C. H. RAWLINSON, County Clerk.



## EXPECTS TO SELL OUT HOUSE EARLY

MR. WOHLHUTER EXPECTS ALL  
SEATS TO GO THURSDAY

"ROAD TO YESTERDAY" THEN

Minnie Dupree Comes in Feature At-  
traction of the Year and Stand-  
ing Room Sign Is Expected

So numerous have been the ad-  
vance calls for information concern-  
ing "The Road to Yesterday," in  
which Miss Minnie Dupree stars  
here Thursday night of this week, and  
so strong is the evidence of demand  
for seats that Manager Wohlhuter of  
the theater expressed regret that he  
did not arrange to open the advance  
sale for the famous play this morn-  
ing.

"I feel certain," said Mr. Wohl-  
huter this morning, "that every seat  
will be sold for Miss Dupree's play.  
There has been a large demand for  
seats and I wish we had placed them  
on sale this morning. However,  
they will be ready tomorrow morn-  
ing and those who do not wait too  
long will be sure of good seats."  
Miss Dupree played the same beau-  
tiful production here last year and  
so favorable was the impression that  
there is not the slightest doubt that  
there will be a crowded house when  
the play returns Thursday evening.  
The star is the same as last season  
and the only changes which have  
been made in the entire company was  
to strengthen it in places. The scenic  
effects are extremely pretty and origi-  
nal and all in all "The Road to Yes-  
terday" is probably the finest the-  
atrical production which will be seen  
at the La Crosse theater this season.

**The Story of the Play.**  
The story tells of an American  
girl, tired out by a day of sightseeing  
among London antiquities, and in the  
evening one of an assemblage in an  
artist's studio, where medieval cos-  
tumes and armor are on display, talks  
about the old psychological vagary,  
the transmigration and reincarnation  
of souls. She falls asleep and dreams  
herself back along "The Road to  
Yesterday," until her soul is in the  
body which it occupied three hun-  
dred years ago. She is confusedly  
conscious that she is asleep, but she  
can't wake up, and slowly she be-  
lieves that she has become the long  
ago predecessor of herself—Lady  
Elizabeth Tyrell of the seventeenth  
century, grievously beset by a cruel  
lord, who kidnaps her to his castle  
and makes her a wretched bride. In  
her direst misadventures she is joyed  
by being an old-time heroine of a  
sentimental romance, in which her  
companions of the time have their  
souls set away back into bodies of  
the same time and place. Comedy  
arises from contrasting the girl's  
modern individuality with her far-  
away, by-gone environment, and the  
plot of the play carries a travesty of  
romantic fiction, yet more and more  
the story gets more earnest until her  
yeoman lover, who has, first alone,  
fallen short of her ideal of a gentle-  
man here, rises grandly to the oc-  
casion of rescuing her from her lordly  
abductor and lies him dead at her  
feet, slain for love of her. Then  
she wakes up and encounters him a  
visitor at the studio.

## YUKON GOVERNMENT IS TEN YEARS OLD

SEATTLE, Oct. 26.—Ten years ago  
on September 5, the first territorial  
government of the Yukon Territory  
was formally installed in office at  
Dawson, the capital of Yukon. Gov-  
ernor William Ogilvie, the first com-  
missioner, with seventeen assistants  
arrived on that day from White  
Horse by the steamer Ora and im-  
mediately established temporary head-  
quarters in a big log cabin building  
that had been erected for the pur-  
pose.

Since that time the famous Klondike  
district and adjoining creeks  
have produced a total of over \$100,-  
000,000 in gold, all of which has  
gone into the world's coffers and is  
being used in the conduct of the  
world's business. It is to properly  
celebrate this fact and bring about  
further development of the gold re-  
sources of the Yukon and Alaska  
that the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific ex-  
position is being held at Seattle next  
summer. Gold has done much for  
the world and this is the first time  
that an exposition has been held to  
give it honor.

The Yukon territory is still a great  
gold producer. Within the last few  
years, while the methods of gold ex-  
traction have been undergoing a  
change, the production has dropped  
off, but with the installation of  
derdges, hydraulic appliances and  
huge water systems the gold produc-  
tion will receive a big impetus that  
will soon put the Yukon back in the  
front rank.

Gov. Ogilvie is still in the Yukon,  
now engaged in dredging. He is one  
of the enthusiastic workers for the  
exposition and will be present as will  
many others of the first government.

## HURT LOWERING A BIG BOILER

Pearl Van Doras, 616 Mill street,  
was seriously injured at the Funke  
Candy company Saturday while en-  
gaged in the work of lowering a  
mammoth boiler into the basement  
of the new boiler room. The rope  
on the windlass broken and the han-  
dle flew round striking Mr. Van  
Doras in the side. No bones were  
broken but he was unable to continue  
at his work.

Love with a young man is never so  
serious as with a young girl, be-  
cause he has his moustache to dis-  
tract his attention.

## HOW TO VOTE

THIS TABLE OF VOTES WILL BE IN FORCE UN-  
TIL THE CLOSE OF THE CON-  
TEST—NOTE THE CHANGES

### Extra Votes for One Year and Over Subscriptions

Absolutely No Further Changes—Votes Are Worth as  
Much Today as on the Last Day of Contest.

The following number of votes will be given for Old and New Sub-  
scriptions for the Daily Tribune until the end of the contest:

The Daily Tribune by Carrier in La Crosse.

The following number of votes will be given for old and new sub-  
scriptions for the Daily Tribune, for city by carrier:

SUBSCRIPTION.		—VOTES—		
		Amt.	New.	Old
Five weeks	.....	50	800	400
Ten weeks	.....	1.00	1,600	900
Fifteen weeks	.....	1.50	3,200	1,600
Six months	.....	2.50	7,000	3,500
Nine months	.....	3.75	10,000	5,000
One year	.....	5.00	18,000	9,000
Two years	.....	10.00	36,000	18,000
Three years	.....	15.00	72,000	36,000
Five years	.....	25.00	120,000	60,000

### Daily by Mail

The Tribune by carrier or mail, outside of La Crosse:

SUBSCRIPTION.		—VOTES—		
		Amt.	New.	Old.
Three months	.....	.75	1,600	800
Six months	.....	1.50	3,200	1,600
One year	.....	3.00	9,600	4,800
Two years	.....	6.00	21,600	10,800
Three years	.....	9.00	36,000	18,000
Five years	.....	15.00	72,000	36,000

## TRIBUNE PONY NAMING CONTEST ENDED SATURDAY NIGHT—JUDGES HAD MANY NAMES FROM WHICH TO MAKE A SELECTION FOR PONY

The Tribune's special naming con-  
test ended Saturday night. The five  
judges who were selected to choose  
the names and award the prizes were  
Mr. Urquhart Cawley, Mr. O. J. Ash,  
Mr. J. F. Roche, Mr. O. C. Nelson and  
Mr. O. E. Ruder.

The names of the first two ponies  
were chosen as Oweenee and Elipse.  
The name Oweenee was suggested by  
Miss Clara Larson of District No. 2,  
and the name Elipse by Mr. Leonard  
Knothe of District No. 1. For these  
two suggestions which were consid-  
ered the best by the judges, a special  
ballot of 10,000 votes each will be  
issued to the above named contest-  
ants as first prize.

Fleetfoot was the name chosen as  
second choice and was suggested by  
Edwin Markwart. Spitfire was the  
other second choice and was sug-  
gested by Wm. J. Daley of District No. 1.

The third choice Twinkle was sug-  
gested by Wesley Gifford of District  
No. 1. The other third name being  
Prinze, suggested by Miss Ella  
Schroeder of District No. 3. As a  
second prize, a special ballot of 5,000  
votes has been issued to each of the  
contestants and as third prize 2,500  
votes have been issued to the above  
named contestants.

### Read the New Table of Votes.

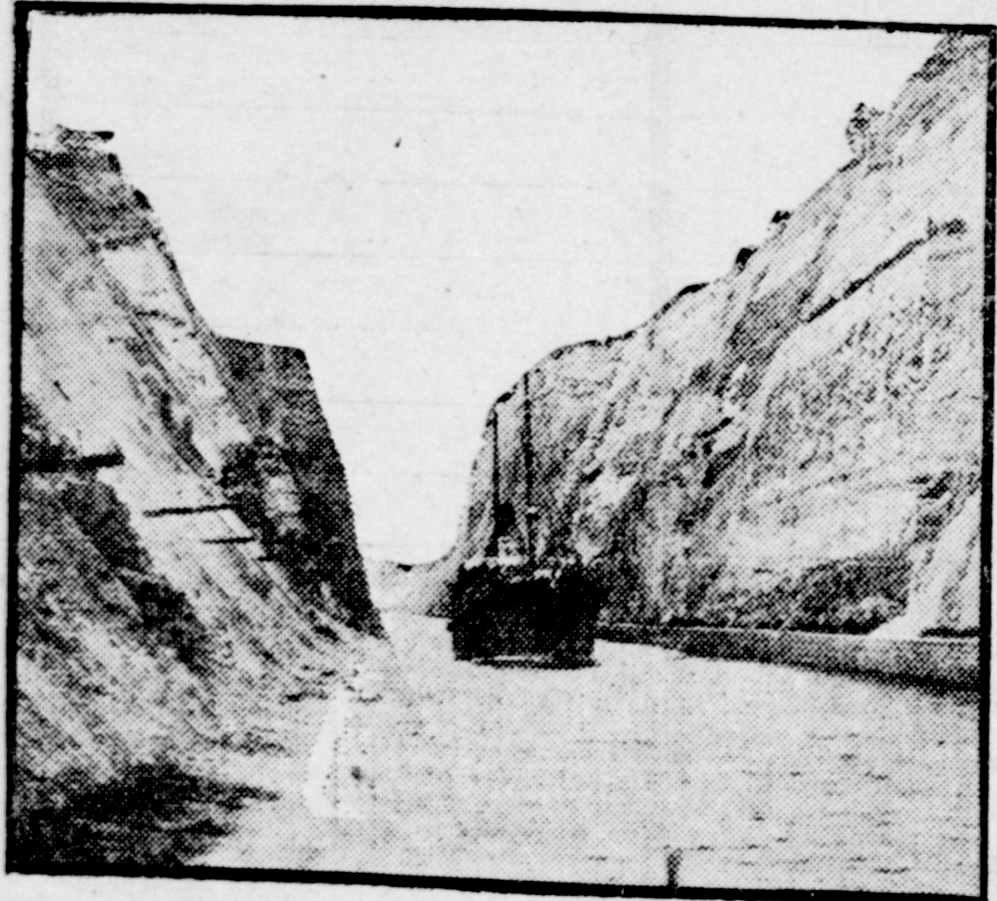
Table of votes as given in this  
issue will take effect over all previous  
tables of votes and will be in effect

from now until the end of the con-  
test. In looking over this table of  
votes, you will find that additional  
votes have been given for one year  
and over subscriptions. For sub-  
scriptions less than one year, no  
change has been made in either of  
the districts.

### Positively the Last Offer.

The table of votes as given in this  
issue will remain in force until the  
close of the contest and the manage-  
ment of The Tribune wish to state  
that there will be no more changes  
or alterations of any kind and that  
votes are worth as much today as  
they will be on the last day of the  
contest. The Tribune Contest has  
been planned and organized along  
different lines from the ordinary  
newspaper contest and there will be  
no doubling of votes or grand special  
offers to spring upon the unsuspect-  
ing contestants during the last few  
days of the contest, which would in  
any way lessen their chances of win-  
ning one of these handsome Shetland  
Pony outfits. The table of votes as  
given today will remain the same un-  
til the close of the contest and we  
state with a certainty that votes are  
worth as much today as they will be  
on the closing night of the contest.  
We hope that contestants will govern  
themselves accordingly and put forth  
every effort to win during these last  
few weeks of the contest.

## CANAL SOLD AT PRIVATE AUCTION



The canal of Corinth (Greece) will  
be sold at public auction. The isthmus  
was pierced at a period of enthu-  
siasm over the successful work of  
M. De Lesseps at Suez, but the canal  
has never paid and the shareholders  
have never received the smallest di-  
vidend.

Foreign vessels invariably refused

to make use of the canal, claiming  
the high passage fees were not jus-  
tified by the small saving of time—  
barely a day. Furthermore, the pas-  
sage is dangerous owing to the nar-  
rowness of the canal.

It is generally assumed that the  
National Bank of Greece will be the  
highest bidder.

## READ THE TRIBUNE

# TRIBUNE'S SHETLAND PONY CONTEST WILL CLOSE IN TWO WEEKS

At 10 O'clock P. M. Saturday, November 7th

# A WORD TO CONTESTANTS

Don't believe the unreasonable stories about your competitors' reserve force. Don't get discouraged but keep hustling. Success is bound to come. Suppose you would quit now. Just suppose you believed the unrea-  
sonable stories and gave up and quit working and at the final count you found you could have won—wouldn't  
you be mad because you didn't keep working. Contestants don't be bluffed out by another contestant who is  
afraid of you. Remember others get discouraged just as you do but to own a Shetland Pony Outfit of your own  
means "Don't be a quitter."

### WORK FOR LONG TIME SUBSCRIPTIONS

How to win—read carefully—be successful: In the City Districts, two new 5 years' new subscriptions cost  
\$50.00 and gets \$200,000 votes. In the Country District, three new 5 years' subscriptions costs \$45.00 and gets  
180,000 votes. Read again and see how easily it is to be ahead

### ENOUGH TO OVERCOME THE LEAD OF ANY CONTESTANT TODAY

## DISTRICT NO. 1

Includes that part of La Crosse known as South side, covered by carrier.

Mary Drummond, 522 State	162,125
Irene Krenz, 1504 Winnebago	124,390
Marshall Cohen, 429 South 5th	124,145
Ester Linker, 1228 Ferry	122,695
Robert Hatka, 918 Cameron avenue	112,450
Wm. Pitz, 1222 Adams	112,390
Mary Wurm, 720 No. 9th St.	110,729
William Daley, 619 No. 3rd	110,250
Wm. Jacobs, 815 South 5th	110,220
Charlotte Sherwin, 211 South 5th	110,205
Ella Trane, 912 Cameron	109,425
Josephine Upton, 1114 Vine	109,220
Leonard F. Knothe, 409 South 3rd	108,290
Mildred Berg, 209 North 14th	107,290
Raymond F. Johnston, 120 South 7th	106,725
Gladys Ivey, 315 South 9th	106,230
Lulu Lowry, 1330 Pine	105,525
Nicholas Hengel, 1602 Johnson	104,680
Bernice Gayman, 1408 Vine	104,290
Helen Scoville, 807 Johnson	103,685
Walter Gardner, 125 Vine	101,260
Jessie Powers, 924 Main	101,350
Alice Worth, 509 South 16th	100,210
Edwin Benton, 112 North 10th	99,405
Jackson Branagan, 415 South 3rd	94,360
Frances Agnes Bollen, 332 N. Tenth	85,190
Edwin F. O'Neill, 426 So. 9th	84,790
Ermina Parks, 421 Cass	63,720
Howard Oaks, 1314 Jackson	62,720
Orval N. Hall, 316 North 4th	54,920
Anna Frey, 1012 South 6th	41,210
May Fries, 1409 State	38,970
Elmer Lange, 1911 South 2nd	20,215
Claude Ledman, 511 Main	19,650
Walter Forscher, 822 South 6th	19,320
Carl Schubert, 1314 Pine	19,120
Lawrence Hagen, 1728 Madison	17,245
Lester Smith, 421 North 8th	17,125
George Hunt, 416 Badger	16,425

## DISTRICT NO. 2

Includes all territory in La Crosse known as North side.

Irma Linn, 1501 Kane	167,910
Olga Casperson, 1419 Loomis	166,920
Clara Larson, 1541 Wood	164,690
Wesley Gifford, 822 Rose	156,980
Buster Saries, 927 Rose	154,250
Elizabeth Groeschner, 1307 Kane	151,320
Fern M. Nichols, 1815 Prospect	141,360
Edwin Markwart, 911 Rose	134,390
Bernidette Gittens, 432 Rose	127,390
Elsey Lampman, 1017 Rose	126,310
Mabel M. Stanton, 219 Island	125,180
Harriett Snyder, 1508 Wood	119,720
Edna Preutz, 1117 Logan	110,220
Edna James, 1217 Charles	109,420
Clayton Blanchard, 709 Caledonia	109,420
Edith Eberhardt, 1127 Caledonia	109,380
Sam Roden, Jr., 823 Avon	106,415
Blanche Asseltin, 1521 Kane	104,980
Robert Harrier, 303 Mill St.	104,470
Earl Jones, 818 Gould	101,315
Earl Winell, 826 Caledonia	96,340
Maybelle McGrath, 1815 Wood	94,320
Alice Wolf, 1432 Charles	89,420
Judith Nelson, 1134 Caledonia	80,390
Della Nesler, 1534 Berlin	71,150
Birdilla Morrison, 933 Caledonia	63,120
Margaret Roth, 1123 Charles	45,155
Hazel Orwell, 1314 Caledonia	41,225
Pauline Roberge, 1641 Kane	20,370
Pearl Mosholder, 609 St. Paul	19,680
Helen McGaughrer, 1419 Kane	18,150
Alice Foster, 1603 Charles	16,925
Ruth Erickson, 1432 Kane	16,790
Adah Hyde, 1027 Caledonia	16,750
Melvin Pierce, 1033 Rose	16,595
Helen Simonson, 1724 Loomis	16,325
Katharine Byers, 1348 Kane	16,320

## DISTRICT NO. 3

Includes all territory outside of La Crosse in Wisconsin, including re-  
sidual routes.

Ester Ellis, Onalaska, Wis.	200,545
Ether Brinkman, Coon Valley, R. F.	190,370
Neal Pilcher, Sparta, Wis.	189,840
Eddie Sprain, West Salem, Wis.	189,420
Josie Beffa, Fountain City, Wis.	179,620
Alos Newcomb, Pepin, Wis.	178,750
Floyd Larson, West Salem, Wis.	150,610
Edna Shove, Onalaska, Wis.	149,350
Earl Harry, Alma, Wis.	148,920
Buelah Pfaff, West Salem	145,610
Elvena Monti, Genoa, Wis.	145,310
Ella Schroeder, R. F. D. No. 2	135,625
John R. Schnell, R. F. D. No. 1	135,220
B. Onalee Summerfield, Sparta, Wis.	108,360
George King, Bangor, Wis.	105,360
Grace Garin, Viroqua, Wis.	102,680
Howard Campbell, Cashton, Wis.	102,310
Lula Loomis, Bangor, Wis.	101,790
Elmer Rohrer, Cochrane, Wis.	101,210
Clara Steller, Stoddard, Wis.	90,275
Leo Merlo, Bangor, Wis.	86,420
Raymond Graw, Cashton, Wis.	82,110
Gayle Corey, Galesville, Wis.	81,720
Daniel McGaughrer, Prairie du Chien	64,360
Truman Guenther, Alma, Wis.	53,620
Lester D. Ford, Trempealeau, Wis.	45,150
Mable Baker, Tomah, Wis.	27,450
Rose Bailey, Victory, Wis.	21,310
Edward Canfield, Sparta, Wis.	20,725
Wm. Stephens, R. F. D. No. 1, La Cr.	20,390
Elsie Pertsch, R. F. D. No. 3	19,450
Neva Houston, Pepin, Wis.	18,235
Johnnie Green, Bangor, Wis.	16,575
Milo Olsen, Onalaska	16,575
Gertrude Franzini, Genoa, Wis.	16,295
Floy Robinson, Stoddard, Wis.	16,410
Carl Councilman, Melvin, Wis.	15,925
Gifford Hansworth, Stoddard, Wis.	15,735
Walter Morrison, Cashton, Wis.	12,460
Clarice Spaulding, Victory, Wis.	12,390
Orbick Stevingson, Westby, Wis.	12,375
Harold Lineham, Tomah, Wis.	11,220
Everett Joseph, De Soto, Wis.	10,785
Vivian S. Rogers, Victory, Wis.	6,875
Cleveland Jollivet, R. F. D. No. 3	6,310
Allan Reed, Sparta, Wis.	5,610
Homer Wolf, R. F. D. No. 2	5,360
Laura Arber, R. F. D. No. 3	5,310
Ella Schwake, Stoddard, Wis.	5,125
Lottie Sandelin, Stoddard, Wis.	4,595
Merrill Serene, Pepin, Wis.	4,210

## DISTRICT NO. 4

Includes all territory in Minnesota and Iowa.

Paul Barton, Houston, Minn.	142,380
Vera Alstrhm, Lansing, Iowa	138,320
Clyde Barnes, Harmony, Minn.	131,120
Clifton M. White, Mabel, Minn.	130,605
Alphonso C. Kelly, Houston, Minn.	125,740
Alvin Love, Preston, Minn.	125,210
Margaret Oldenberg, La Crescent, M.	123,980
Mildred Schultz, Hokah, Minn.	120,340
Morris Fladager, Spring Grove, Min.	118,925
Harold Dickson, Dresbach, Minn.	115,705
Lyle Secord, Brownsville, Minn.	110,210
Ada Field, Preston, Minn.	103,120
Lincoln Holcomb, Dresbach, Minn.	101,635
Eunice Brown, Dakota, Minn.	100,320
Eva Hansen, Alden, Minn.	100,115
Robert Gruder, Lansing, Iowa	38,750
Bertha Willford, Canton, Minn.	32,055
Newman Hendrickson, Spring Grove	22,450
Neva Bakewell, Lansing, Iowa	21,355
Ruth Ferris, Lansing, Iowa	19,450
Lillian Richmond, Hokah, Minn.	18,985
Francis Bidwell, Houston, Minn.	18,980
Walter Engell, Spring Grove, Minn.	18,670
Johnny Kelly, Waukon, Iowa	18,220
Ava Berfield, La Crescent, Minn.	17,320
Crescence Hundt, Caledonia, Minn.	16,970
Harold Clark, Waukon, Iowa	15,535
Edward Iowe, Lansing, Iowa	15,125
Walter Bisbee, New Albion, Iowa	14,650
Martha Boeckh, Lansing, Iowa	11,420
Eunice Hartley, Waukon, Iowa	11,320
Rodine Pugh, Preston, Minn.	8,350
Arnold Kager, Lansing, Iowa	6,120
Lilah May, New Albion, Iowa	4,760
Milton Fellows, Lansing, Iowa	4,125
Catharine Kremer, McGregor, Iowa	3,235
Fred Widman, McGregor, Iowa	2,750



# TRIBUNE WANTS

## Help Wanted—Male

**WANTED**—Men to learn barber trade, will equip shop for you or furnish position, practice, careful instruction, tool given. Saturday wages, diploma granted, write for catalogue, Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill.

**WANTED**—For U. S. Army: Able-bodied, unmarried men, between ages of 18 and 35; citizens of United States, of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write English. For information, apply to Recruiting Officer, Hotel Grand, La Crosse, Wis.

**WANTED**—Men to handle freight from now until Dec. 15th. Wages \$50 per hour. No trouble. Open shop. W. J. Connors, 85 Reed street, Milwaukee, Wis.

**WANTED**—If you are a boy willing to work and learn, call at the Tribune office for a position.

**WANTED**—Solicitors for popular article. Call tonight between 7 and 9, The Pacific Electric Co.

**WANTED**—Boys at E. Hackner, 1235 Ferry.

**WANTED**—Salesmen to manage exclusive territory for manufacturer of necessity to every property owner; absolutely new proposition; big commissions or salary. Permanent. Experience unnecessary. "Liberty" Ass'n., 12 State St., Chicago, Ill.

**WANTED**—An energetic young man with good references, versed in English and German. Wanted for newspaper work. Good salary and permanent position for the right man. Apply at Tribune office at once.

**WANTED**—Agents, pleasant and profitable work. Address, 125 this office.

## For Sale

**FOR SALE**—Set of engineering books. Complete with all the Scranton School Models, very cheap if taken at once. Apply at Tribune Office.

**FOR SALE**—Good second hand lumber of all kinds. Enquire at old Sawyer & Austin mill site or call up A. J. Roberczak, 2211 old phone.

**FOR SALE**—A set of 12 volumes of Encyclopedia of Law. A bargain. Address, B. F. care of Tribune.

**FOR SALE**—400 acres improved black land; corn belt; near good town, 1109. J. W. Plowman, Hannibal, Mo.

**FOR SALE**—Three stores 20 ft. x 40 ft. at No. 207-209-211 Main street, also Burlington hotel, 108 No. 2nd St. Inquire of Joseph Boschert, Trustee Fay Estate.

**FOR SALE**—9-room home, excellent location, cars convenient. Address "X. Y. Z. Tribune."

**FOR SALE**—Good 2nd hand wood furnace at \$21 State.

**FOR SALE**—Old timber and one steam wood saw, 8 h. p. boiler, 6 h. p. engine. 400 Mill St., North La Crosse.

**FOR SALE**—One Badger 6 horse power gasoline engine, cheap. Apply State Normal school Site.

**FOR SALE**—Household furniture. Inquire 311 So. 5th St.

**FOR SALE**—8 room cottage at 607 Adams St., on lot 52 by 100; city water. Reasonable.

**FOR SALE**—One brass bed, excellent condition. Original cost \$45. Call 1115 Main St.

**FOR SALE**—Photograph, Edison phonograph, standard, 67 good records included, at a bargain, 315 No. 14th St.

**FOR SALE**—Or exchange, 230 acres good Cedar county, Iowa, land well improved, for good cheap south Dakota land. Koser & Sidwell, Iowa City, Ia.

**FOR SALE**—House and lot on 8th St. Inquire 1326 So. 4th.

**FOR SALE**—Household furniture, piano, stoves, two phonographs, dining room table, etc. 702 W. Ave. 80.

**FOR SALE**—Two bed room suites, 150 No. 7th St.

## Texas Lands

**FOR SALE**—Lands in the Gulf Coast country, the garden spot of the world; the land of fruits and flowers, where you get two or three crops a year; where 5 acres will keep any family and 10 acres will keep you wealthy; where the climate is simply grand and flowers bloom all year around; where land is rising in value by leaps and bounds and where thousands are buying every month. Get busy now before another jump in prices takes place. For prices and terms write to or call, after 4 p. m., on S. J. Roden, 823 Aron St., La Crosse, Wis.

**FOR SALE**—160 acres good farm land, cheap for cash; or will trade for city property, 4124 old phone.

**FOR SALE**—Household goods, gas stove, sewing machine, piano, sideboard, extension table, large mirror. Must be sold at once, leaving city. 1317 Madison St., rear house. E. H. May.

## For Rent

**FOR RENT**—Fine large city heated room, 212 North 7th.

**FOR RENT**—Furnished room; modern; 522 So. 5th.

**FOR RENT**—9 room house, all modern conveniences. Call 612 So. 7th St.

**FOR RENT**—Furnished room, 513 King.

**FOR RENT**—Small house, corner Main and 12th Sts. Inquire 113 So. 2nd St. Paperin Cigar Co.

**FOR RENT**—House, 618 Avon. Old phone 9894.

**FOR RENT**—120 No. 7th street, nine room modern house. G. Van Swanwyk, La Crosse Clothing Co.

**FOR RENT**—Furnished rooms. Inquire 223 No. 6th.

Whiskey might improve with age if people would let it.

**FOR RENT**—6 room modern cottage, 1302 Kane St. Phone New, 830-M.

**FOR RENT**—Furnished room, 326 Cass St.

**FOR RENT**—6 room modern house. Inquire 206 So. 7th St.

**FOR RENT**—Cottage, 602 Cass St. Inquire 315 So. 6th St.

**FOR RENT**—Front room, city heat, central location. M. Tribune.

**FOR RENT**—Seven room house 321 No. 7th. Inquire 926 Main.

**FOR RENT**—8 room cottage at 10th and State. Call at 1414 State.

**FOR RENT**—House, 602 Cass St.

**WANTED**—Girl for general housework, good wages. Apply 1223 Ferry.

**FOR RENT**—Good rooms for house-keeping for man and wife. 320 N. 8th St.

## Nothing Like It

W. H. BARKER Cough Remedy is the best medicine on earth.

## Lost

**LOST**—A child's shoe, between 4th and 5th on Main St. Return to Schaldach's Grocery.

**LOST**—Gold watch and leather fob with wolf head, at the La Crosse-Sparta football game. Return to M. Barber, Tribune office for liberal reward.

## Full Information

FULL information about the opening of Standing Rock and Cheyenne Indian Reservation in South Dakota, 25c. Hoven Land Co., Hoven, S. D.

## Viavi

DR. ANNA E. CLARK, Consulting Physician for Viavi Co. at La Crosse office, week of Nov. 9 to 17th. No charge. 511 Main St. Phone, 624-R.

## Insurance

**TORNADO INSURANCE**—\$4.00 per thousand for 3 years; \$6.00 for 5 years. C. A. Van Auker, 328 Pearl St.

## Financial

**LOANS MADE SALARIED PEOPLE** on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons. No removal, no publicity. La Crosse Mortgage & Loan Co., 323 Main street, upstairs.

## Coast Shipments

**CUT RATES** on household goods to Pacific Coast and other points. Superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

## Transfer Line

**FURNITURE** moved and stored, jobbing of all kinds. Buildings bought and sold. Otto Granke, 831 Rose St. New phone, 1018-C.

## Architects, Superintendents

**SCHICK & ROTH**—Bataavian Bank Building. Telephone 290.

## Instructions

**MISS MOSER**, formerly a teacher in Public Schools of this city, will tutor children in the common school branches. Address, 504 Cass St.

## Miscellaneous

**WANTED**—Boarders at 1230 Ferry.

**WANTED**—Boarders, by day or week, 619 N. 3rd St.

**WANTED**—To buy base violin. State lowest price. Address L. B., 328, La Crosse, Wis.

**WANTED**—Roll top desk and safe. E. H. Derr, City.

# FOR SALE HARD WOOD & SOFT WOOD

## BRESEE & KAISER

BOTH PHONES  
Old, 4404; New, 461 A.

## NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO COUNTY COURT.

State of Wisconsin, County Court, La Crosse County, ss.: In Probate. Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court, to be held in and for said County, at the Court House, in the City of La Crosse, in said County, on the second Tuesday, being the 10th day of November, A. D. 1938, at ten o'clock a. m., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of Jennie Fox for the appointment of an administrator for the estate of Aaron W. Fox, late of the village of West Salem in said County of La Crosse, deceased.

By order of the Court.

JOHN BRINDLEY,  
County Judge.

## A RIVAL 'PHONE TRUST

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Oct. 26.—A \$10,000,000 holding company to operate the gigantic long distance telephone and telegraph lines of the independent companies east of the Mississippi, will be incorporated in Ohio during the week, according to the announcement today of Secretary James B. Hodge, of the United States Telephone company.

Subject of debate at tonight's meeting of the Lancaster Literary Society: "Which Smells Best When Cooking: Coffee or Beefsteak?"

# MINNESOTA AND THE NORTHWEST

## SAYS THAT RANGE IS RICH IN SILVER

### WISCONSIN GEOLOGIST MAKES A STARTLING ANNOUNCEMENT

### TO BE A SECOND COBALT

Prof. C. H. Meyers, "U" of Wisconsin, Says the Deposits There Are Unusually Rich

DULUTH, Minn., Oct. 26.—That Northern Minnesota will be a second Cobalt is the claim of Prof. C. H. Meyers, one of the most famous and reputable geologists in North America. He has been over the ground thoroughly and claims to know what he is talking about.

Prof. Meyers was formerly connected with the Wisconsin state university, and later was with the United States geological survey.

In an interview he says:

**Silver Formations Rich.**

"The silver formations in Minnesota are the same as in the Cobalt district. So far as I have been able to learn, no one has suspected the existence of silver in Minnesota, and therefore have made no efforts to follow up the indications. With the notes I already have and my knowledge of geology and the country I shall be able to make discoveries in the line of copper and silver that will result in a rush equal to that made into the Cobalt district following the first rich discoveries there."

**Geologist of Note.**

Prof. Meyers' reputation as a geologist is shown in fact that several of his books on subjects have been adopted as textbooks by schools and universities throughout the country.

## STATE OFFICIAL IS HELD FOR CONTEMPT

DENVER, Colo., Oct. 26.—Secretary of State Timothy O'Connor was found guilty of contempt of the district court by Judge Geo. Allen and ordered confined in the county jail until such time as he shall obey the order of the court in regard to the official ballots for the November election. Mr. O'Connor refused to place the anti-Guggenheim and business men's tickets on the official ballots.

An appeal was taken from Judge Allen's ruling to the supreme court, which had heretofore failed to settle the controversy in regard to the ballot because the four judges sitting in the case divided evenly. The supreme court this afternoon granted a writ of habeas corpus applied for by O'Connor's attorneys, and the secretary of state was released from the custody of the sheriff upon \$5,000 bonds. He will appear before the supreme court Monday morning at which time the court will take up all matters connected with the controversy which led to the issuance of Judge Allen's order.

## BOAT CAPIZES—TWO DEAD

JACKSON, Mich., Oct. 26.—Frank Brannum, thirty years of age, and Ernest Fitzgerald, twenty, of Waterville, were drowned in Joslyn lake, Washtenaw county, by the capsizing of their duck boat.

## MISSING DAUGHTER OF OUTLAW FOUND

### CHILD OF "JACK" SULLY STOLEN WHEN 2 YEARS OLD

### MAY OWN ROSEBUD TRACT

Entire Reservation May Be Claimed by Trixie Sing, Wife of Chicago Chinaman

CHICAGO, Oct. 26.—The missing daughter of "Jack" Sully, the South Dakota outlaw, who occupied the Rosebud reservation for more than half a century before he was killed by federal officials six years ago, has been located in Chicago. She is declared to be Trixie Sing, wife of Louis Sing, millionaire Chinaman.

Capt. Martin Peterson, First regiment, I. N. G., who was sent to the Rosebud during the land registration in an effort to locate Sully's missing daughter for a Chicago real estate firm, has returned with information that leads him to believe positively that Mrs. Sing is the one who, as a child, was stolen from that reservation, twenty-two years ago. The result may be a contest of all the claims on the Rosebud.

It is expected the heirs of Sully will claim title to the reservation on the ground that it was occupied by the notorious cattle rustler for longer than twenty years.

Friends say Sully's five children are now living in South Dakota. The third daughter was stolen by a white woman when she was two years old. She is Trixie Sing, Capt. Peterson is satisfied.

## PRIMARY LAW IS UNDER ADVISEMENT

BISMARCK, N. D., Oct. 26.—The case involving the constitutionality of the senatorial primary law was taken under advisement by the supreme court this afternoon, after two entire days spent by attorneys in the arguments. The decision of the case will probably hinge on the legislative pledge feature of the law which was bitterly attacked by Attorneys Young and Lawrence as void, and on the fact that the primary is carried into the general election, thus invading the secrecy of the ballot if there are to be challenges against Democrats who may seek to participate in the senatorial choice.

For Marshall and Johnson attorneys Divet and Corliss held that there would be no violation of the general election law in holding the primary in connection with it, and that even if the pledge feature of the law were void, it should not prevent an expression of the people in the matter of the senatorial choice.

There is much speculation as to the decision of the court, which is expected within a few days. Congressman Marshall, who has been here during the argument of the case, is deeply interested, as he believes that he will have the majority of the republican votes if the primary is held, while if the law is knocked out there will probably be five or six candidates before the legislature with another long fight in

# CHIEF OF BUREAU OF MANUFACTURERS



MAJOR JOHN M. CARSON

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 26.—Major John M. Carson has just returned to take up with renewed vigor the work of his bureau. No department head is more interested in his work than is Major Carson and no one outside of the few who are acquainted with the details of his work realize the enormity of the problem which he confronts. The bureau of manufacturers is one of the most important and far-reaching bureaus in our government and is closely and personally supervised by Major Carson.

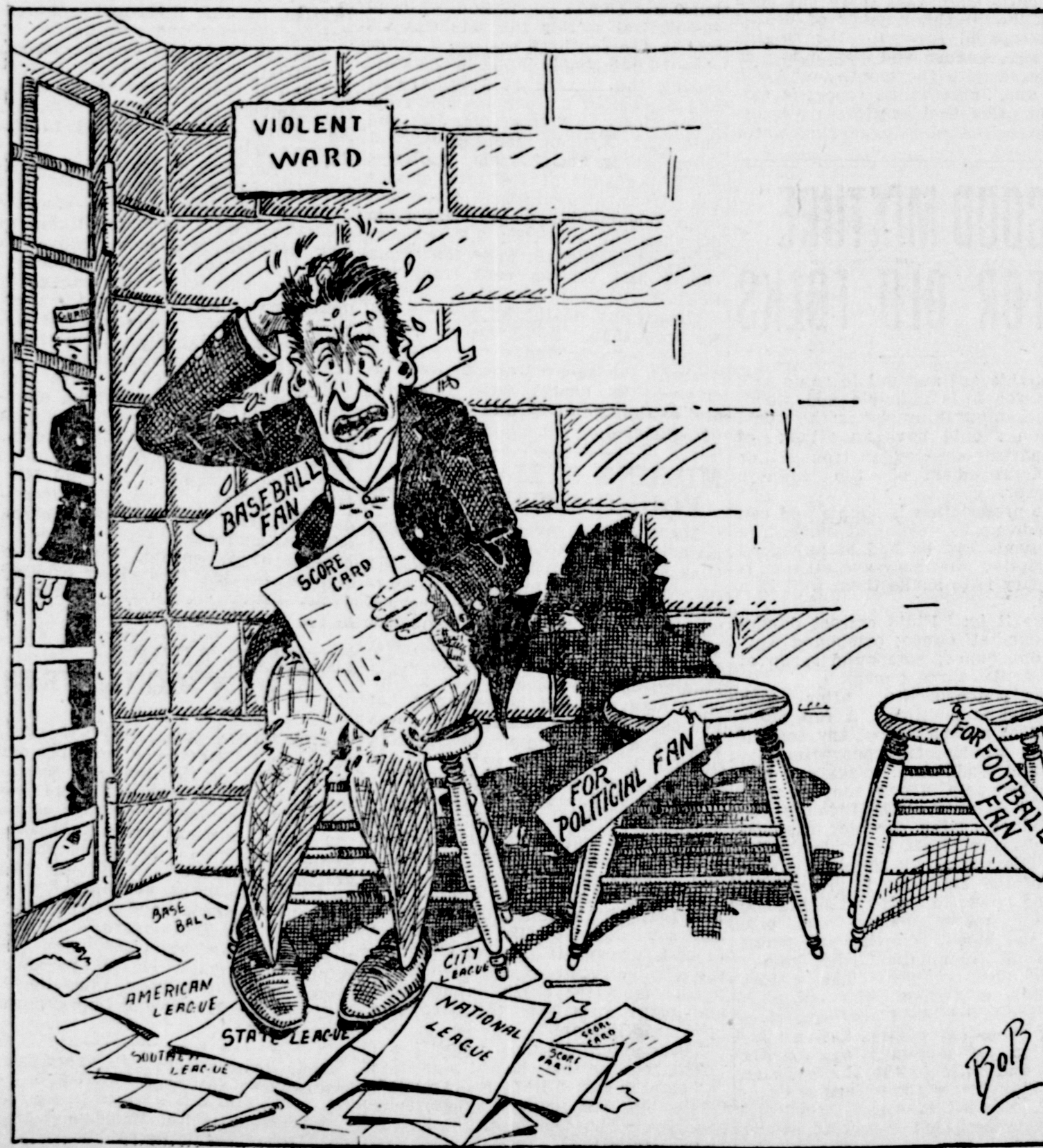
## SHIP BEACHED TO SAVE PASSENGERS

KENOSHA, Wis., Oct. 26.—Seven men, members of the crew of the steamer William Engle, fishing out of this port, had a narrow escape when the steamer went on the beach five miles south of Kenosha. The men saved themselves from a night on the lake and possible death from exposure by leaping into the lake and swimming to shore. Capt. W. J. Barnett was in charge of the boat. When he found that it would be impossible to make the Kenosha harbor on account of the heavy seas he beached her. Tugs were at work on the stranded boat all day, but could not release her. She is valued at \$10,000.

## FORTUNE AWAITS MISSING GIRLS

WATERTOWN, S. D., Oct. 26.—A fortune is awaiting Miss Maud Jackson, or Maud J. Bucklin of this city, according to a letter received today from Dr. George L. Howard of Mount City, Ill. A search of the city directory failed to reveal the name of the heiress and the police have notified the administrator to that effect.

# ROOM FOR TWO MORE OCCUPANTS THIS FALL



# DAILY MARKETS

## CREAMERY BUTTER ADVANCES TO 30C

### HIGHER PRICES IS QUOTED THIS MORNING

### FRESH EGGS AT 25 AND 26C

Several changes were noted in the wholesale price of butter and eggs this morning. Creamery butter, strictly fresh, was advanced to 25c to 26c, and seconds are quoted at 20c.

On the wholesale fruit market, several changes are noticed. Kiefer pears have dropped to \$1 per bushel, lemons have advanced to \$5 per box, and Concord grapes have advanced to 23c per basket. Sweet potatoes have advanced from \$3.25 to \$3.75 per barrel. Cranberries are quoted at \$9.50 per barrel. Quinces are on the market at \$2 per bushel.

## WHOLESALE

### Fruits.

(Quoted by J. C. Burns.)

N. Y. apples, bbl. .... \$3.50 @ \$4.00

New York Greenings, barrel .... \$3.00

Kiefer pears, bu. .... \$1.00

Cranberries, bbl. .... \$9.50

Prunes, crate .... \$1.50

Chestnuts, per lb. .... 12 1/2c

Lemons, 360 size .... \$5.00

Cabbages, doz. .... 60c

New potatoes, bushel .... 70c

New carrots .... 50c @ \$1.50

Tokay grapes, crate .... \$1.50

Bartlett pears, box .... \$2.50

Oranges, 200, 216, box .... \$4.50

Quinces, per bu. .... \$2.00

Bananas, medium .... \$1.50 @ \$2.50

Celery, Michigan, 10 doz case \$1.50

Plums, crate .... \$1.50

Sweet potatoes, bbl. .... \$3.75

Concord grapes, 10 basket lots, 22c

Hickory nuts, bu. .... \$1.50

## Flour and Feed

(Quoted by Listman Milling Co.)

Patent (per bbl. in sacks) .... \$5.60

Strait, (per bbl. in sacks) .... \$5.40

Wheat, per ton .... \$22.00

(Sacks, 48 per ton extra) .... \$22.00

Shorts, per ton .... \$23.00

(Sacks, 48 per ton extra) .... \$23.00

White middlings, per ton .... \$24.00

(Sacks, 48 per ton extra) .... \$24.00

Red dog, per ton .... \$26.00

(Sacks, 48 per ton extra) .... \$26.00

(Quoted by Ice Cream & Butter Co.)

Full Cream Twins .... 13 1/2c

Full Cream Daisies .... 14c

Full Cream Young Americas .... 14 1/2c

Full Cream Long Horns .... 14c

Full Cream, 10 lb. print .... 14c

Full Cream brick .... 13 1/2c

Full Cream Limburger .... 13c

Full Cream Round Swiss .... 14c

Full Cream Block Swiss .... 13c

Full Cream Block Swiss (5 and 6 to a box, weighing 25-35 lbs. each) .... 13c

## Grain.

(Quoted by Thomas & Phalon.)

Winter wheat .... 85 @ 90c

Spring wheat .... 85 @ 90c

Barley .... 60 @ 55c

Barley .... 55 @ 57c

Oats .... 45 @ 45c

Corn, new .... 45 @ 45c

## Livestock.

(By Langdon-Boyd Packing Co.)

Hogs .... \$4.00 @ \$4.50

Steers .... \$2.50 @ \$3.00

Heifers .... \$2.00 @ \$2.50

Cows .... \$1.50 @ \$2.50

Lambs .... \$3.00 @ \$4.00

Sheep .... \$2.00 @ \$3.00

**Poultry.**

Old chickens .... 7 @ 8c

Spring chickens, lb. .... 10 @ 12c

Turkeys, pound .... 10 @ 12c

Ducks .... 10 @ 12c

Geese .... 10 @ 12c

**Provisions.**

Lard, per lb. .... 13 1/2 @ 14c

Hams .... 13c

Shoulders .... 9c

Bacon .... 14 @ 15 1/2c

Dry Beef .... 20 @ 22c

**Butter and Eggs.**

(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)

Creamery, per pound .... 28 @ 30c

Dairy, per pound .... 27 @ 28c

Eggs, fresh, dozen .... 25 @ 26c

Eggs, seconds .... 20c

**Hay and Wood.**

(Quoted by City Scales.)

Hay, wild, per ton .... \$6.00 @ \$7.00

Hay, tame, per ton .... \$8 @ \$9

Straw, ton .... \$4.00

Bottom wood, cord .... \$6.00

Second growth oak .... \$6.00

Blue wood .... \$6.00

Dry wood cord .... \$6.00

Old oak .... \$5.00 @ \$6.50

## RETAIL

### Fruits.

(Quoted by J. C. Burns.)

Bananas, per dozen .... 20c

Oranges, Valencia, doz. .... 40 @ 50c

Lemons, per dozen .... 20 @ 30c

Apples, peck .... 20 @ 40c

Cocanuts, each .... 5 @ 10c

Cabbages, each .... 5 @ 10c

Plums, basket .... 30c

Peaches, dozen .... 15-20c

Pears, dozen .... 20 @ 30c

Tokay grapes, lb. .... 15c

Muskat grapes, lb. .... 10c

Concord grapes, basket .... 25c

Pears, box .... 30c

Peaches, box .... 10c

Tokay grapes, basket .... 50c

New York Greenings, barrel .... \$3.50

Hickory nuts, qt. .... 5c

(Quoted by Listman Milling Co.)

Patent, per 1-4 bbl. sack .... \$1.60

Straight, per 1-4 bbl. sack .... \$1.55

**Vegetables.**

(Quoted by A. B. Moll.)

Hubbard squash .... 10 @ 75c

Pickling onions, qt. .... 10c

Creamery butter, per lb. .... 25c

Eggs, strictly fresh .... 27c

## Foreign Markets

**Poultry, Dairy, Etc.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Dressed poultry, quiet. Live poultry, quiet. Butter, creamery extra, 26 to 26 1-2c; state dairy, tubs finest, 25 to 26c. Eggs, nearby white fancy, 39 to 40c. Cheese, full cream specials, 13 1-4 to 14 1-4c; skims, 10 3-4c.

**Chicago Livestock**

CHICAGO, Oct. 26.—Cattle, 17,000; 10c higher; beefs, \$4.80 to \$7.60; stockers, \$2.60 to \$4.60. Hogs, 24,000; 20c higher; light, \$5 to \$5.80; heavy, \$5.60 to \$6.10; pigs, \$3.25 to \$4.50. Sheep, 5,000; 25c higher; natives, \$2.60 to \$2.75; lambs, \$3.85 to \$6.

**Kansas City Livestock**

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 26.—Cattle, 8,000; 10c higher; steers, \$5 to \$7.30; stockers, \$2.75 to \$4.75. Hogs, 8,000; 10c higher; bulk, \$5.20 to \$5.75; pigs, \$3.75 to \$5. Sheep, 6,000; 10c higher; mutants, \$3.60 to \$4.20; lambs, \$4.25 to \$5.50.

**New York Stocks.**

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—The market quieted down after the first hour, and during the last half of the forenoon there was little feature to the trading. Some of the speculative element on the floor sold a few stocks, causing slight recessions in prices. It continued quietly strong after noon, with further advances made in nearly all leading issues. The bond market was strong.

## MISS SOLON AT "Y" TOMORROW

The musical entertainment at the Y. M. C. A. in which Miss Estelle Solon will be the star tomorrow night is expected to draw a large audience. Prof. Jacob Reuter, violin virtuoso, will also render selections and the accompaniments will be played by Prof. Charles Weiss, the eminent pianist.

Following comment upon the work of Miss Solon during the recent saengerfest here appeared in the Minneapolis Tribune:

"Reports coming in from the big saengerfest just held at La Crosse by the Northwestern saengerbund are very flattering to Miss Estelle Solon, the Minneapolis girl chosen as soprano soloist.

"She made her first appearance at the Friday night bunde's concert and created a furore. When she appeared at the entrance way and advanced toward the soloists' stand she was greeted by an ovation from an audience of nearly 6,000 people. Her selection, accompanied by the Milwaukee Symphony Orchestra, was executed in such a manner that the crowd went wild with enthusiasm. She was recalled time after time and the audience filled the big building with a storm of applause. It is the opinion of the public at large that she carried off the honors of the day and proved herself to be an artist.

"After the final grand concert on Saturday night, when she gave a magnificent Mendelssohn concert aria, she was taken to the Stoddard by the Milwaukee contingent and entertained by the prominent musicians, critics and officials of the saengerbund, who are looking forward to enjoying her for concerts and for the North American National Saengerfest to be held three years hence.

## Program

Following is the program arranged for the recital:

### PART I

"Unca Voco Poca Fa," from Barber of Seville" ..... Rossini

Das Zauberkleid, Erik Meyer-Helmund

Der Traum ..... Rubenstein

Freilingszeit ..... Rhinhold Becker

Miss Solon.

Violin—Hungarian Fantasia—Pleona Nota ..... Jeno Hubay

Mr. Jacob Reuter.

Mattinata ..... Tosti

"Coro Nome," from "Rigolette," ..... Verdi

### PART II

"The Last Rose of Summer," Moore

"Love's Garden" ..... Chaminade

At Parting ..... Rogers

Jewel Song from "Faust" ..... Guonod

Miss Solon.

Violin—Capriccio Valse (new) Reuter (Dedicated to Wm. Moebius, Chicago)

Mr. Reuter.

"Voci di Prima Vers" ..... Strauss

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Miss Solon





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### BASKETBALL RESULTS

The Eagles defeated the Pirates by a score of 53 to 54 Saturday night at the Y. M. C. A. The Cokas also defeated the Pious in a close game by a score of 32 to 31. Both the scores were remarkable on account of the closeness and the games were intensely interesting.

## WISCONSIN NEWS

### TUESDAY IS LAST CHANCE TO REGISTER

THOSE WHO FAIL TO APPEAR TOMORROW CAN'T VOTE

### MUST GET NAME ON LIST

Attorney General says that Voters Must Otherwise be Sworn in at the Polls

(By Fred L. Holmes.)

MADISON, Wis., Oct. 26.—Tuesday is registration day. Voters will have their last chance to register and those who have up to this time failed to have their names placed on the polls list must appear in person at the voting place, or their names will be omitted and they will be ineligible to vote, unless the legal obstacles be removed on election day by process of getting freeholders to make affidavit and get the vote sworn in. This is the effect of an opinion of Attorney General Frank L. Gilbert rendered to the secretary of state.

The secretary of state called attention to an apparent conflict in the new law requiring voters to register. In reply the attorney general says that the law should be read so as to give force and effect to each portion of the statute, if possible.

### Attorney General's Opinion.

"Our law now provides for three registration days," says the opinion, "primary election day, the Tuesday preceding primary election day and the Tuesday preceding general election day. Chapter 666 provides that no person shall be registered on this last registration day unless he shall appear in person. It also provides that the inspector shall register any person who shall on any registration day file an oath to the effect that he is a qualified elector."

"Reading these two provisions together they provide that a person may appear before the election inspectors on the Tuesday preceding general election day and apply for registration; if he is personally known to the officers they may register him. If not known to them, they may put him under oath and require him to answer certain questions. In lieu of this personal examination he may appear in person and file his written application for registration as required by the statute."

"I am of the opinion that that portion of section 27, which permits voters to register on the Tuesday preceding general election day without personally appearing before the officers, is repealed by chapter 666 and that voters may not register upon that day without a personal appearance."

### Students Hustling to Register.

The ruling of the attorney general was announced in both of the student republican clubs this morning and created a great stir. Rights will be out all Tuesday hustling the students to the polls to register. The political leaders realizing how difficult it would be to ask the unregistered student to swear in their votes.

### LA FOLLETTE URGES COOPER AS SPEAKER

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 26.—In an address before 2,500 people here Saturday night Senator Robert M. La Follette urged the re-election of Congressman Cooper of this district and suggested him as a good man for speaker of the house of representatives.

Senator La Follette followed the lines of his speeches in the state during the week, but paid a high tribute to Congressman Henry Allen Cooper. He gave a story, told him by McKinley in the days when they were working together on the famous McKinley bill. It was of a regiment in one of the great battles of the war where the color bearer in his enthusiasm ran out from the advancing line of battle and planted the colors far in advance. He was ordered to bring the colors back to the regiment, but, carried away by the occasion, yelled back to his colonel to bring the regiment up to the colors.

Will Follow Cooper. "I'm here to tell you that the progressive republicans of this nation four years from now will be in the line where Hal Cooper planted the colors in Chicago," said the senator amid a perfect storm of cheers.

"I ask you to stand by that splendid fighting figure and to keep on sending him to congress as the leader who ultimately will take Joe Cannon's place as speaker."

In his talk on corporate power Senator La Follette said he was not sure that Garfield was not right when he said there'd come a time when the great power he, with his foresight, saw coming, would require the united support of all patriotic people in the country to meet and subdue it.

"Unless you want government controlling everything," said the senator, "I want to suggest you'd better be getting back to the conditions we used to have in this country."

About half the people who boast of their genealogical trees can't spell them without looking at the dictionary.

No matter how sorry a woman is that she married a man, she can be glad that she kept some other woman from getting him.

### JUNE MONTH OF SUICIDES, ALSO

MARRIAGES NOT ALL THAT PRE-DOMINATE THEN

### VITAL STATISTICS ARE OUT

New State Bureau Issues Statement Showing Morality Record and Causes of Deaths in State

(By Fred L. Holmes.)

MADISON, Wis., Oct. 26.—(Special.)—A greater number of persons in Wisconsin suicided during the months of May and June than at any other time during the year. This is but one of the interesting facts disclosed by the work of the state board of health and vital statistics, and which will be embodied in a report to be published soon. The reports for the last few years bear out this statement, and lead to many conjectures as to why the death rate from suicide should be greater during these months. Among the theories advanced is that of Dr. E. S. Hayes of Eau Claire, who ascribes it to physiological reasons. Vitality, he claims is at a low ebb at this time of the year, and with the general physical sluggishness incident to the close of the indoor months, there is a mental depression, produced by the more or less sedentary habits of the winter months. In his belief, a large factor in bringing about the large death rate from suicide.

### 122 are Drowned

Other opinions, too, are advanced, but the fact remains that the months of May and June produce the maximum number of suicides. These statistics come under the general classification of deaths from violence, which records also show that 122 deaths for one quarter have resulted from drowning alone. These occurred during the summer months, when the risk is greater, owing to the fact that people go upon the water more than at any other time during the year.

Another conclusion reached is that deaths from infantile diseases seem to be higher in the northern section of the state than in other sections. This is undoubtedly true to the fact that less medical attention can be received in the northern section. There are fewer doctors; also the people do not seem to be as well educated regarding the most sanitary methods of feeding children.

There is a great need for a campaign education as to the best methods of feeding infants; also for better sanitation in caring for milk fed to infants. This is especially needed now when the number of artificially fed babies is on the increase.

### Deaths Reach 6,279

During the months of July, August and September, 6,279 deaths were reported to the state authorities by the local registrars of towns, villages and cities. This is exclusive of 367 still-births, and correspond to an annual death rate of 10.8 per thousand estimated population.

Important causes of death were pulmonary tuberculosis, 423; other tuberculosis, 78; typhoid fever, 70; diphtheria, 70; scarlet fever, 21; measles, 5; whooping cough, 29; pneumonia, 217; diarrhea and enteritis, 579; meningitis, 189; peroral septicaemia, 26; cancer, 346; violence, 459, and still-births, 367.

Reports show that there has been a decline in the number of deaths from typhoid fever for the months of July, August and September as compared with the months of April, May and June, which report is sufficient proof that greater care is being exercised in safeguarding water.

### A GOOD MIXTURE FOR OLD FOLKS

Cut this out and put in some safe place, for it is valuable and worth more than anything else in the world if you should have an attack of rheumatism or bladder trouble or any derangement of the kidneys whatever.

The prescription is simple and can be made up by anyone at home. The ingredients can be had at any good prescription pharmacy and all that is necessary is to shake them well in a bottle.

Here it is: Fluid extract dandelion, one-half ounce; compound Kargon, one ounce; compound syrup of sarsaparilla, three ounces.

Take a teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime. A few doses is said to relieve almost any case of bladder trouble, frequent urination, pain and scalding, weakness and backache, pain above the kidneys, etc. It is now claimed to be the method of curing chronic rheumatism because of its direct and positive action upon the eliminative tissue of the kidneys. It gives them life and power to shift and strain the poisonous waste matter and uric from the blood, relieving the worst forms of Rheumatism and kidney and bladder troubles. The extract dandelion acts upon the stomach and liver and is used also extensively for relieving constipation and indigestion. Compound sarsaparilla cleans and enriches the blood. There is nothing better than Kargon Compound for the kidneys.

This prescription is safe to use at any time.

## THE CAUSE OF COLDS

Good Advice Regarding the Prevention of Coughs and Colds.

If people would only properly fortify and strengthen their system, about 98% of coughs, colds and pneumonia might be avoided. These troubles are simply the result of weakness, which produces a catarrhal condition of the mucous membrane, which is as an internal skin bane, which when this skin is weakened it becomes infected with germs which are carried through the system by the blood. These parasites attack and break these delicate tissues and set up a soreness which produce what is in reality an external scrofula.

The only thing that will cure coughs and colds and prevent pneumonia is a medication which is absorbed and carried by the blood so that the diseased membrane is disinfected, cleaned, soothed and healed.

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and milk supplies from any possible pollution. At this season of the year when the ground water is low, the death rate from typhoid fever usually reaches its maximum. An examination of mortality and morbidity statistics by months proves conclusively that the seasonal variation of the disease should be carefully considered. It is claimed that the maximum of typhoid mortality corresponds almost exactly to the minimum of the ground water level.

The very large increase in the number of deaths from diarrhea and enteritis under two years of age should convince the most skeptical that there is an urgent need for more scientific information regarding the care of infants during the hot weather months. Comparing the total deaths from diarrhea and enteritis with the total deaths from all causes we find the rate highest in the northern section of the state, where it is shown that eleven per cent of the total deaths reported were caused by this most easily prevented disease.

Considering deaths from diarrhea and enteritis per 10,000 population, the rate in the northern section is found to be .27, in the central section .2, and in the southern section .28. The large increase in the number of deaths from violence is occasioned by the usual number of deaths from drowning.

Of the 459 deaths from violence, in addition to the 122 deaths from accidental drowning, 76 resulted from suicide; 53 were caused by railroad accidents; 24 were due to burns and wounds; 10 from homicide; 11 from street cars; 5 from poisoning, and 4 from lightning.

In the northern section of the state there were 2.2 deaths from violence per 10,000 population, while in the central section the rate was 1.8 and in the southern section, 1.9. For each 10,000 people living in the state during the months of July, August and September 2.2 persons died from tuberculosis; 2.5 from diarrhea and enteritis; .8 from meningitis; 1.5 from cancer and 2 from violence. Eight per cent of the total deaths were from tuberculosis; 3.4 per cent from pneumonia; 9 per cent from diarrhea and enteritis; 2.8 per cent from meningitis; 5.5 per cent from cancer and 7.3 per cent from violence.

Classifying deaths by age groups, we find that 1,540 were deaths among persons under one year of age. At the ages of one to four inclusive 508 deaths were reported, and at the age of 65 and over, 1,589 persons died.

### MISSING GIRL IS FOUND AFTER 7 DAYS

MANITOWOC, Wis., Oct. 26.—The mystery over the disappearance of Olga Steltzer of Mishicot was cleared up when she was found weak, emaciated and starving in an old barn a half mile from home, where she had been hiding seven days. The girl took offense at being scolded for holding correspondence with a Chicago man and left home, angry at her parents. She had no food for a week and crept from her hiding place only at night for water. At one time in the search for her, District Attorney Kelley and a party fed their horses in the barn where she was hidden, but she crawled under the hay and eluded them.

After a scorching day's work old Ben Smith lighted his corncob pipe and sat down on the little wharf to rest. Near him lay an alligator, the visible result of his labors. A tourist from the north approached and loftily remarked: "Ah, I see you have an alligator?"

"It is amphibious, is it not?"

The tone nettled the old man.

"Amphibious, h-h-h!" he growled. "He'd bite yer arm off before ye could say Jack Robinson!"—Everybody's Magazine.

## CONVERTED, SENDS CONSCIENCE MONEY

FORMER VIROQUAN REPAYS CAPT. TATE

### RECIPIENT DON'T REMEMBER

No Name Is Given and Capt. Tate Cannot Recall Who Owed Him That Sum

VIROQUA, Wis., Oct. 26.—Captain J. Henry Tate of this city received a letter a short time ago asking that in case the first letter, reached him that he answer to a certain box number in a California city, when he would hear something to his interest. No name was given, but the captain sent the acknowledgment of the letter as requested. He has received this reply:

"Enclosed herewith find P. O. money order for twenty dollars which is your due for goods purchased by the remitter many years ago, date has been forgotten. At the time expected to have made good, but could not. However, have never forgotten the debt. Many, many times has it come up though there was always a place for every dollar coming into my possession. I am a child of God through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus. 'Tis by His grace the enclosure is made. I thank you for kindness extended and beg your pardon for long delay in settling the account held against me."

Capt. Tate has no recollection of any transaction whereby he was defrauded out of \$20 and cannot identify the sender. He says it must have been a deal made while he was in business twenty or thirty years ago.

### Viروqua Briefs

Mr. Frank Rusk went to Richland Center Saturday, where he will be employed in a barber shop.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams, a daughter, Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thayer returned from a visit with relatives in Barron county Saturday.

Mrs. E. C. Higbee was a guest of Mrs. C. W. Graves and other friends in this city Sunday.

On account of ill health and bad roads, Father O'Reilly of Rising Sun, was unable to conduct services in St. Mary's church in this city Sunday.

Miss Floy Potts is ill with appendicitis at the home of her sister, Mrs. John Glenn.

Rev. M. Gulbrandson of Westby, confirmed 14 young people at the United Lutheran church in this city Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Kellogg of Readstown have moved into the M. C. Nichols house, east of the Congregational church.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Boles of Columbus, O., are guests at the home of their uncle, Mr. J. Latti and family, in this city.

Mrs. John Devlin entertained a number of friends at whist Saturday evening, in honor of her guest, Mrs. Coyie of Lansing, Iowa.

### PRAIRIE DU CHIEN

Mr. and Mrs. Jacoby of Denver, Col., and Mrs. Searcy of Burlington, Iowa, were guests during the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Evans on church street. Mrs. Evans is a sister of Mr. Jacoby and Mrs. Searcy.

Mr. John L. Savage of Minneapolis was here over Sunday, at the Savage home, to visit his sister, Miss Stella, and his daughter, Miss Hazel.

Rev. Myron Argus of Lancaster officiated at the Episcopal church Sunday morning and evening.

The ladies of the Congregational Industrial society cleared about \$45.00 at their supper at the council chambers last Thursday evening. The money will be applied to the pastor's salary.

Mrs. Berkley of Boscebel is visiting Mrs. Clarence Coleman.

Mr. H. J. Johnson, who recently sold the Prairie du Chien Union to I. D. Hurlbut, will soon remove his family to Lyndon, in Grant county, where he will once more engage in newspaper work. Lyndon has no name newspaper at present and Mr. Johnson will establish a paper there.

His many friends in Prairie du Chien will be pleased to learn that John L. Savage, Jr., has been elected president of the Freshman class at Williams college, Williamstown, Mass.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Michael of lower town, died Thursday evening. The funeral occurred Saturday morning.

General of Wisconsin, will address a mass meeting Wednesday evening. Mr. Frank L. Gilbert, attorney at the Grand Opera hall.

### INDIANS ADOPT NEW SIGNATURES

APPLETON, Wis., Oct. 26.—"X his mark." But by a new custom inaugurated at the Oneida reservation by the government officials there the "X" is no longer to be used as the signature of a person incapable of or unskilled in the art of chirography. Instead of the "X" on legal documents such as warranty deeds, quit claim deeds and mortgages, which require the signatures of the parties involved, you will see the smut of the mark of a person's thumb which has been moistened with ink previous to the impressions being made.

Many believe they are sanctified because they feel so self-satisfied.

The pessimist kills all hope because happiness irritates him.

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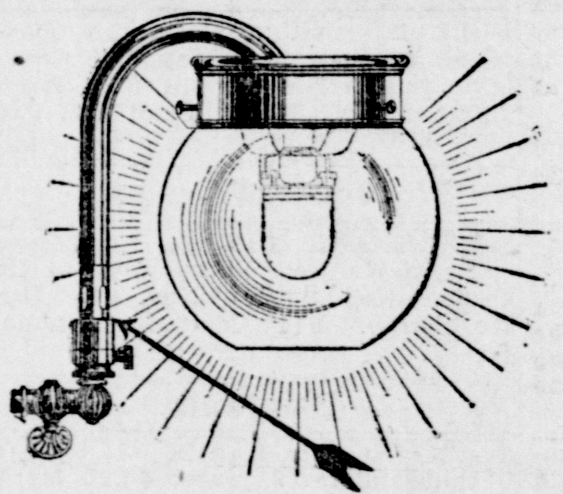
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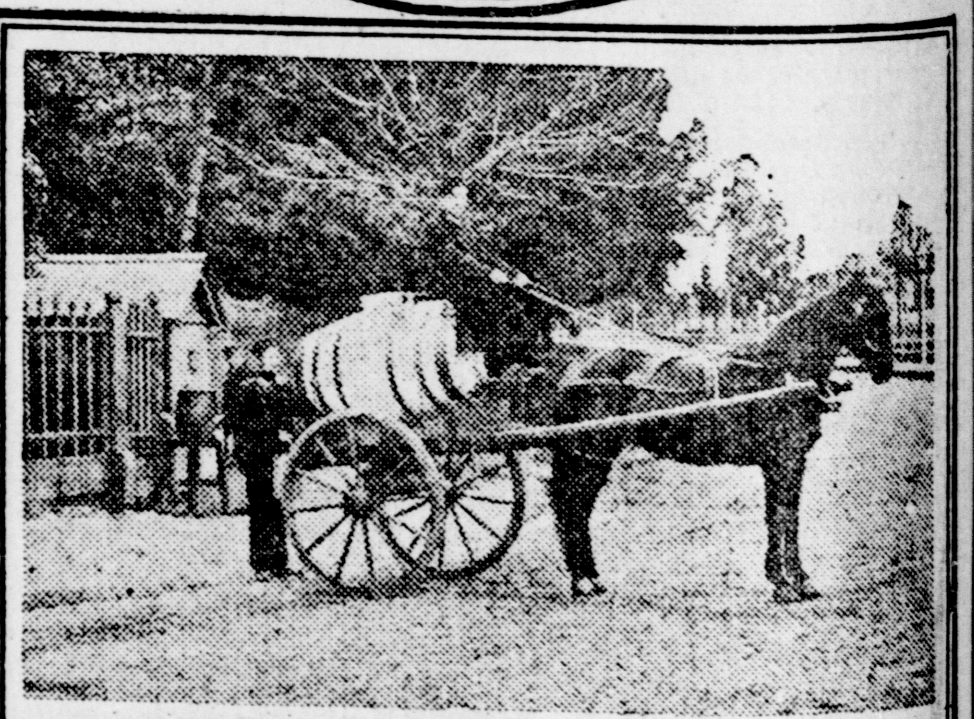
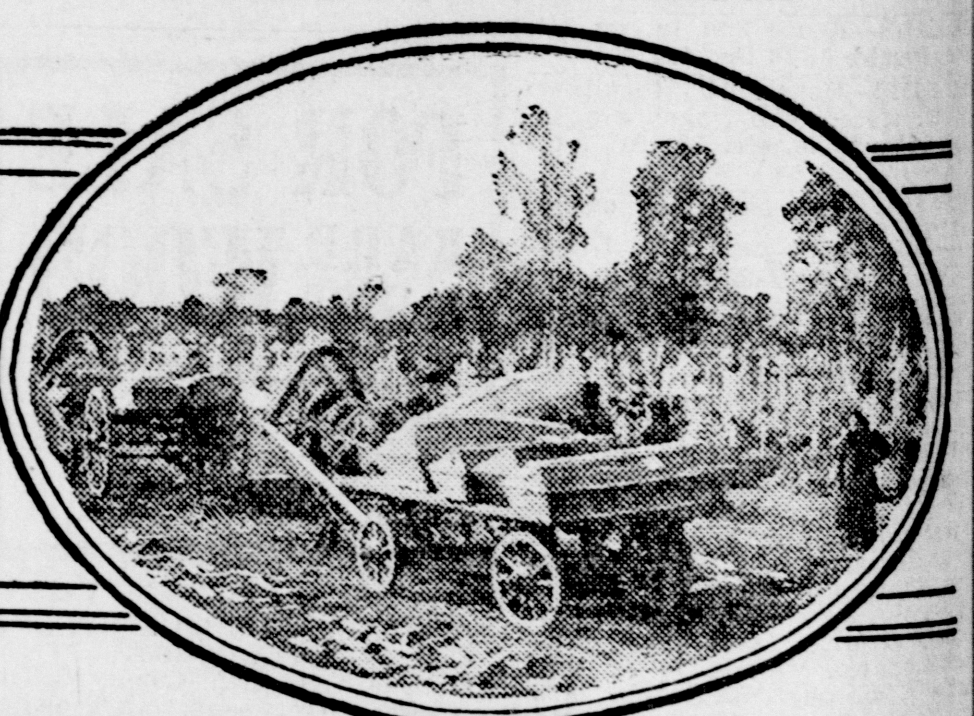
once told me that the dark corner plumbing gave him an income. Many a doctor could probably say the same thing. So let us offer you a bit of disinterested advice. Have us rip out all those disease breeding places and have us

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